

REBELS STILL CONTINUE DETERMINED ASSAULT ON FEDERALS AT OJINAGA

CLOSING HOURS OF NEW YEAR'S DAY ARE MARKED BY THE MOST HORRIFYING SCENES.

Disheartened, Disorganized Federals Are On the Verge of Stampinged

RIVER IS LINED WITH MEN FIND 200 DEAD ON THE FIELD

PRESIDIO, Tex., Jan. 1.—The first day of the new year ended with the forces under General Ortega still continuing their determined assault on Ojinaga, the Mexican town across the river. The closing hours of the day, which were marked by the most horrifying scenes ever witnessed in this region of rapine and blood-lust, were filled with some of the most brisk artillery fire of the three days battle. From the American side it was obvious that the end was in sight. The federals, disheartened, shattered, disorganized, were on the verge of stampeding across the border.

One in Every Three Injured.

While no accurate information as to the number of casualties is obtainable tonight, it is estimated by military men here, from stories told by wounded stragglers of the federal forces, that no less than one in every three men engaged has been hit by a bullet or a piece of shrapnel. Neither army being equipped with hospital supplies the wounded, where they fell. What their agony must be, as they lay throughout the long hours, under a scorching sun during the day and through the chilly nights, only be imagined. Adding to the gruesomeness of the night the wolves in the far hills can be heard howling dismally.

In sharp staccato come the reports of occasional rifle fire, mingling with the groans of the dying.

There were occasional shots from the rebel artillery which were answered feebly by the federals, making their last desperate stand in the horse corral in the center of the town and in the trenches running parallel with the brow of the hill, facing the slope to the south and west, whence the rebels have made their most determined onslaughts.

Line Rio Grande River.

As the sun went down tonight, the river's edge presented a scene, the like of which is unrecorded in American history. Smoke-begrimed, half naked, staggering, famishing Mexican soldiery, with eyes fear filled and courage gone, lined the bank of the muddy stream on the Mexican side. Some were crying and moaning from the pain of their hurts; some crawled along with shattered legs over the rocks and through the clumps of relentless cacti and mesquite, some rushed madly to the water's edge to drink. All of them were begging piteously for permission to cross to the American side where they would be safe under the stars and stripes, from further punishment by the relentless rebel troops who chased them across the desert from Chihuahua.

At a bend of the river, two hundred federals, pitiable specimens of manhood they were, waded across the stream and clambered on the opposite bank where they were quickly surrounded by United States troops of the border patrol, disarmed, and forced back whence they came. The wounded, however, were picked up and tenderly cared for by members of the Red Cross organization here. One soldier came across the river who had his arm shot off, another had been shot in the foot, other still were wounded in various manner—and all were suffering great pain.

When darkness fell the fight seemed, to those on this side, to have been renewed with increased vigor. The rebels were drawing closer and closer the women about the town on the hill, where the remaining federals, in the big horse corral and in the few adobe houses which have escaped the deadly fire of the rebel artillery were blazing away with rifles and machine guns, to the accompaniment of several artillery pieces, in a horrifying dirge.

Men Lost All Heart.

Soon after daylight today after another night of fighting the federals made a desperate attempt at a rally. The men appeared to have lost all heart. Their officers shouted encouragements in vain, and the galling fire of Ortega's veterans swept them back up the hill, after a brief advance. Throughout the rest of the long hot day the positions of the opposing armies remained unchanged, except that occasionally the rebels would venture a few yards up the slope, but to be driven back by brisk volley firing from the town.

Ortega's forces are on three sides of Ojinaga. The Rio Grande—and beyond that the Fifteenth United States cavalry—is on the other. From three sides shot and shell poured into the feeble fortifications of the federals.

At a late hour tonight Major McNamee in command of the American troops of the border patrol at this point had anticipated a sudden stampede to the American side by the Huerta forces. He said they would be immediately disarmed and held. The ability of the five hundred

The Forces at Nuevo Laredo Fight Practically to a Standstill

FIND 200 DEAD ON THE FIELD

LAREDO, Texas, Jan. 1.—Mexican federals and rebels who fought today for possession of Nuevo Laredo rested early tonight in relative the same positions as when the battle began. From 150 to 300 dead lay where they fell and several hundred wounded suffered under no attention. The rebels, under General Pablo Gonzales, tonight were less than a mile from the town and the federals were entrenched within its border. Official reports of the number of dead were lacking. The attacking forces placed their number at one hundred including Captain Eizupul Parras. The defenders admitted they had lost fifty, one of whom was Captain Mancillas. Early in the day Red Cross workers who crossed the river during a lull in the firing reported they found more than 200 dead on the field.

Fighting which began at day-break, lulled at noon but was reopened three hours later by a gun squad that drew away from the main body of rebels and poured a hail of bullets into the federal stronghold. Undaunted by the bursting of shells the gunners, said to be a Frenchman named Brian trained his gun with deadly accuracy whenever a sufficient number of federals appeared.

At 4 o'clock the rebels ceased their attack with the intention it is understood of working close in to the federal position and resorting to dynamite bombs. During the afternoon the lone rebel gunner drew the fire of four machine guns, the thirty shots coming from the federal side to one from his gun. With Brian were two American soldiers. The squad had four machine guns but used only one at a time. Many bullets fell on the American side of the river. Narrow escapes were numerous but no deaths had been reported tonight. Miguel Guerrero, a Mexican, was wounded while seated on a curbstone in Laredo.

Many wounded constitutionalists crossed to American side and were cared for in improvised hospitals. Word from Hidalgo, Mexico, at five o'clock this afternoon said 800 constitutionalist reinforcements were on their way to Nuevo Laredo. They were expected to arrive during the night.

Carranza to go to Chihuahua. Hermosillo, Sonora, Jan. 1.—General Venustiano Carranza announced today that he would go to Chihuahua as soon as possible. He said he had abandoned his projected trip along the west coast to Culiacan, Sinaloa.

This decision was announced after a long distance telephone conversation with General Francisco Villa.

For two hours the constitutionalist commander in chief conferred with General Villa in regard to the situation in the state of Chihuahua. The news of the rebel attack on Ojinaga and Nuevo Laredo was received with much interest. Assurances were expressed that the entire border soon would be in the hands of the insurgent forces.

Huerta Has Few Misgivings.

Mexico City, Jan. 1.—President Huerta, at all appearances, views the outlook for the new year with few misgivings. With his signing today of a decree prolonging the period of bank holidays for fifteen days he is said to regard the immediate financial difficulty as overcome and is reported to have expressed confidence in his ability to solve the greater problem in the near future. The president is quoted as having said recently in conversation with an American that the resources of the country as yet scarcely had been touched; that there was unlimited wealth in the republic which was available to the administration and that it was a great error to regard the country as in a condition even approximating financial stress. He then likened the republic to a snake, of which he was the head and said: "To kill the snake, it is necessary to cut the head. To overthrow this republic the rebels must take the capital and kill me. That they never can do. They may elude the federal forces among the native hills but they never will dare attack this capital. While I live and hold the capital the republic lives."

EXPERIENCES HEAVY SEAS

New York, Jan. 1.—Seas that washed one man from the bridge to the deck and swept two other off from the bow of the vessel were met by the American liner New York on Christmas eve after leaving Queenstown. The vessel reach this port today.

Sacramento, Calif., Jan. 1.—In front of the residence of Governor Hiram Johnson more than one thousand unemployed men gathered today for the purpose of asking the chief executive what he intended doing for those who want work. The governor was not at home if was said.

MITCHEL SUGGESTS POLICY OF SILENCE

NEW YORK MAYOR STATES HE WILL DEVELOP PROGRAM SLOWLY

Urges "Team Work" Among Department Heads and Promises Fulfillment of Campaign Pledges Given By Fusion Party.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—A policy of silence among department heads regarding their administration during the first few months in office was suggested to his appointees by John Purroy Mitchel, upon his inauguration as mayor today as successor to Ardolph L. Kline, who became mayor upon the death of William J. Gaynor.

"We will develop our program slowly," Mr. Mitchel announced in the presence of some of his cabinet, the retiring mayor and others who gathered at the City Hall to see the new executive take office.

"It will not be necessary to go to the people of the city every day to tell them what we propose to do. It will be better for us to wait a little while and then go to them and tell them what we are doing and have done."

"I caution the new heads of the departments to self-restraint and simplicity and I advise them to follow the policy which I have outlined for myself, namely, silence for a few months until we have developed our plans further and can come to the people and point to some accomplishment. I would rather have the government of this city for the next few months inconspicuous than have it heralded from day to day in the papers through promiss made as to what will be done."

Mayor Mitchel urged "team work" among the department heads and promises the fulfillment of the campaign pledges given by the Fusion party which elected him to office.

DR. STILES ANNOUNCES THE DISCOVERY OF SCIENTIFIC TEST

Makes it Possible to Ascertain Whether a Person Has Eaten Contaminated Food.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 1.—Discovery of a test whereby it is possible to ascertain whether a person has eaten contaminated food today was announced by Dr. Charles W. Stiles, United States public health service, in an address before the Zoology section of the American association for the advancement of science.

Dr. Stiles said he considered this discovery of much more importance than that which revealed the hook worm as "the germ of laziness."

"Thus far," said Dr. Stiles, "the direct agency of the fly in the contamination of food can be clearly demonstrated in any community. Anywhere that the fly exists this test can be applied to warn the people against the insect's menace. While the test itself has no medical value, it affords a simple but convincing demonstration which cannot be ignored."

Warning against "fake radium cancer cures" was voiced today by Dr. Carl L. Alsberg, chief chemist of the department of agriculture, in his address to the chemistry section of the association. He said that because of the wonderful cure effected by application to cancer of the radium, "gamma" rays there had sprung up a host of impostors and quacks who are offering cures to the public under misrepresentation that they contained radium.

"Since there now are less than two grams of radium in the United States, and it is valued at \$120,000 a gram, these claims scarcely are plausible."

Wonders that actually have been accomplished in curing cancer by the use of radium were described to the chemical section by Dr. Charles L. Parsons, chief of the division of geology in the government bureau of mines. In connection with his address he exhibited a number of photographs showing the results of radium treatment for cancer.

RELATIVES LOCATE PEORIA CONTRACTOR AT ROCK ISLAND

PEORIA, Ill., Jan. 1.—Charles Johnson a prominent Peoria contractor, who has been missing from his home since July 13, today was located by relatives at Rock Island, Ill.

Chief of Police Rhoades today received a telephone message from Rock Island from a man giving the name of Douglas who said Johnson was employed by him as a carpenter at Aberdeen, N. D., and that he would leave for the north on a night train. Relatives hastened to Rock Island to interview Douglas but instead found Johnson, the missing man, as he was boarding a train for Minneapolis. Relatives state that Johnson's mind is unbalanced and that he can give no account of his wanderings.

SUFFERS FROM KICKS.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, is at present suffering more from kicks he received incident to his deportation from Hancock, Mich., than from the gunshot wound, it was said by Dr. G. V. Hilton, attending physician today. However, it is said Moyer will be able to leave the hospital by the first of next week.

LIND ARRIVES LATE FOR CONFERENCE

Will Come Ashore For A Conference With President Wilson Early This Morning

CUTTER'S MOVES MYSTERIOUS

Emphasizes Mr. Wilson's Desire to Avoid Publicity In Connection with the Visit of His Representative

CHIEF EXECUTIVE KEEPS INDOORS

PASS CHRISTIAN, Miss., Jan. 1.—John Lind, personal representative of President Wilson in Mexico, arrived here from Vera Cruz aboard the Scout Cruiser Chester tonight but he did not leave the vessel. He will come ashore early tomorrow for a conference with the president.

The Chester arrived at Ship Island, eight miles south of here at 9:15 o'clock. She did not attempt to transfer her passenger to the Winona, the United States revenue cutter, who has been waiting there.

The president had waited all day for some word from the Chester but not until 10 o'clock did he receive messages from the navy department announcing that the cruiser had reported 25 miles from Ship Island and would arrive at 9:15.

Mr. Wilson's desire to avoid publicity in connection with the envoy's visit was emphasized today not only by the reticence of everyone in the presidential party but by the mysterious movements of the revenue cutter Winona.

After spending thirty hours outside of Ship Island waiting for the Chester, the cutter finally came in at dusk tonight. As she steamed toward Pass Christian, word rapidly spread that the Chester had arrived and had transferred her distinguished passenger at Ship Island.

When the Winona dropped anchor a mile away, Lieutenant Howell of the cutter who had been scanning the horizon all day with glasses, put out in a 20-foot launch.

A crowd had collected, moving picture machines were set up, camera men were ready and small boys shot off fire crackers in celebration of the occasion. One of the president's secret service men had arrived in a white house motor and waited for the slowly moving launch. Then only Lieutenant Howell appeared. He entered into a whispered conversation with the president's representative and the latter rushed to the nearest telephone. On returning he held a consultation with Lieutenant Howell and the launch went out to sea.

The president kept indoors most of the day, omitting his usual game of golf and taking only a short automobile ride.

WILL TAKE STEPS TO INSURE PERFECT FREEDOM OF SPEECH

American Political Science Association Appoints Committee To Undertake Step.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Steps to insure perfect freedom of thought and speech for professors of political science in all American universities will be undertaken by a committee appointed here today at the closing session of the tenth annual meeting of the American political science association. The association adopted a resolution submitted by Prof. Robert C. Brooks, of Swarthmore College, providing for the appointment of a committee of three "to examine and report upon the present situation in American educational institutions as to liberty of thought, freedom of speech and security of tenure for teachers of political science."

The committee was authorized to co-operate with similar bodies of other societies of the social sciences. Although the resolution went through without discussion on the floor, Prof. Brooks and other leaders said the movement was a result of the recent action of a well known university in dismissing a professor of economics who had helped along a piece of progressive state legislation to which the conservative officers of the university were opposed.

SUFFRAGE ARMY ON SECOND ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO ALBANY

NYACK, N. Y., Jan. 1.—The suffrage army led by "General" Rosalie Jones that left New York this morning on its second annual pilgrimage to Albany on behalf of "votes for women" in this state arrived here at 5:30 o'clock tonight. During the day they tramped sixteen miles on their mission to ask Governor Martin H. Glynn to support their cause. They reached here tired, but with blisters on their feet, but not discouraged. Tonight they held an open air street meeting. The marchers plan to present to the legislature on January 29 a petition asking that women be admitted to the polls as watchers when the proposed state constitutional amendment for votes for women is placed before the voters in 1915.

MUST EVANGELIZE WORLD IN PRESENT GENERATION

DR. R. E. SPEER MAKES PLEA BEFORE STUDENT VOLUNTEER CONVENTION

Declares New Era of World Life Reveals the Essential Unity of the Problems of Personal Salvation and National Character.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 1.—The Evangelization of the World must be accomplished in this generation," declared Dr. Robert E. Speer of New York City, in an address to the student volunteer convention tonight. Dr. Speer and Bishop L. L. Kinsolving of Brazil, bishop of the Episcopal church, were the speakers tonight. Bishop Kinsolving emphasized the needs of Latin-America for more missionaries.

Previously eight thousand students and visitors listened to impassioned appeals from natives of China and Japan and from missionaries returned from India and South America for help in meeting what was characterized as the greatest opportunity Christianity ever faced.

"A new era of world life," said Dr. Speer, "has broken upon us, revealing the essential unity of the problems of personal salvation and national character and of racial relationships across the world. It soon is realized, that for us, the only world that there is, is not the world of thousand year old trees, or century old buildings, but of a single generation of men."

"The present generation of men is in mortal need. It is no answer to this need to promise these men that long after they have crumbled to dust by the slow processes of national education the gospel will have filtered down to their children. This present generation, more over is in plastic flux, and if the idea of Christ does not pervade this flux in this generation it will find in the next that other ideas have monopolized it."

"The emphasis upon evangelization must give form to our present day missionary policies determining our expenditures in the proportions of our missionary methods. It should direct the choice by young men of their life work. No other call in the world today is as needy, as inviting, as rich in its return for the investment of life, as the purest form of evangelistic work at home and abroad."

Dr. K. Kato, of Japan, and now of the University of Chicago, told some thing about the progress of Japanese thought.

"The educated classes are dominating every department of Japanese life today," he said, "but among these upper classes there is a growing tide of atheism and agnosticism. The old faiths are losing their hold, but as yet nothing has taken their place."

"The literature of continental Europe has come in like a turgid flood. The naturalism and worship of power in Nietzsche's Philosophy still are exerting a wide influence but materialism is waning. Student minds are turning to idealism in which the idea of the supernatural is reinstated. This is an entering wedge for Christian truth. Even more intense than the intellectual perils are the physical temptations which surround the young men in the larger cities. It was reported by the Tokyo police department only two months ago that 300,000 men frequent the houses of vice in that city in a single month."

J. H. St. of Yale University and a native of China appealed to his hearers not only for help in the work of Christianizing China but for greater consideration of foreign students in North America.

"We from other countries," said Mr. St., "are in a peculiar position in your country. We are here to watch you—you who claim to be a Christian nation and to learn from you and from your conduct of your social and political life. Unfortunately, sometimes we see the wrong side of things. But we want you to help us see the best side of your Christianity in its practice."

PRISONERS ENTERTAINED.

ABERNATH, N. Y., Jan. 1.—The inmates of Auburn State Prison today were entertained with one of the latest comedies in celebration of New Year's Day. It was given by a professional company. This is the first time in the history of the prison that this has been done.

GOVERNOR AND MRS. DUNNE GIVE

BRIGHT PUBLIC RECEPTION
Springfield, Ill., Jan. 1.—Jazzing with light and gorgeous with holiday decorations, the executive mansion this afternoon presented a most beautiful scene as over one thousand guests were received by Governor and Mrs. Dunne. It was the first public reception given by the state executive and Mrs. Dunne, but as brilliant as any that has preceded it under previous administrations.

In the receiving line were: Governor and Mrs. Edward J. Dunne, Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Barratt O'Hara; Secretary of State and Mrs. Harry Woods, Treasurer William Ryan and Mrs. Ryan, Auditor James J. Brady and Mrs. Brady, Attorney General Patrick J. Lucas and Mrs. Lucas and State Superintendent of Public Instruction and Mrs. Francis G. Blair.

GIVES CHURCH \$7,000.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 1.—John D. Rockefeller's New Year's greeting to the Euclid avenue Baptist church which he attends regularly while in Cleveland was a gift of \$7,000.

APPROPRIATION BILLS RAPIDLY PUT IN SHAPE

MOVEMENT FOR ECONOMY APPARENTLY DRIFTS ONTO THE SHOALS

Chairmen Contend They Have Already Cut Estimates as Far as is Consistent With The Public Demands—Several Bills Ready.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Most of the members of congress left in the capital during the recess are busy studying the problems with which they will have to deal when congress reconvenes a week from Monday.

The movement for economy in appropriations approved by Speaker Clark, majority leader Underwood and other leaders, apparently has drifted on to the shoals. Expected second conference of the chairman and ranking members of all the committees that report supply measures did not materialize and now none is in contemplation. Most of the chairman of committees contend that they already have cut the estimates as far as is consistent with the public demands.

The appropriation bills have been whipped into shape far more quickly than in past sessions. The District of Columbia bill is now pending the house and the appropriations committee is judicial and the urgent deficiency bills. The agriculture, military, diplomatic and consular appropriation measures will be in shape when the house is ready to receive them.

The rivers and harbors appropriation bill, now an annual affair, will carry in the neighborhood of \$34,000,000 for continuing work already begun and other plans for improving waterways. The total, according to some of its members, may run up to \$40,000,000 in order to include new projects, including, perhaps, levee construction to prevent Mississippi floods. The bill still is open to hearings. One is set for January 9th, in behalf of the proposed intracoastal waterway from Boston to New York, N. C. and another for January 13th, when Representative Goulden will urge liberal support for proposed improvements around New York City and the Harlem ship canal project.

YEAR'S PRODUCTION OF GOLD DECREASES SEVERAL MILLIONS

Value To United States Is Five Millions Short of Previous Year—Canada and British India Show Increase.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The "gold value" of the year 1913 to the world was \$455,000,000. The production of the previous year exceeded this total by \$11,000,000.

This was the first estimate of the director of the mint, George E. Roberts, made in the year 1914.

According to director Roberts' announcement tonight the United States gold production for the year just passed amounted to \$88,391,923, a decrease of \$5,000,000.

California was first among the states of the union in the production of gold with a total of 972,691 fine ounces valued at \$29,105,447. Colorado came second with a production valued at \$18,420,951, Alaska third \$14,782,512; Nevada fourth, \$12,279,131; South Dakota fifth, \$7,197,198; Arizona, sixth, \$5,803,939; Utah, seventh, \$5,400,103; Montana eighth, \$3,078,292.

The Transvaal total was \$5,000,000 below its 1912 record and Australia showed a decreased production of \$1,000,000.

Mexico's production fell off about \$5,000,000 as the result of the revolution there. Canada exceeded its output of 1912 by about \$2,700,000 and British India showed an increase of \$1,000,000.

Nevada led the silver producing states of the United States yielding ore to the commercial value of \$9,123,229; Montana was second with \$7,889,166 and Utah, Idaho and Colorado were among the five leading states.

FRIENDS FOR YEARS FIGHT DUEL; SHAKE HANDS AFTER SHOOTING

BUTTE, Mont., Jan. 1.—John Leibe and Carl Marquardt, friends for years, fought a duel in their rooming house today, after quarrelling because Marquardt had ridden home from a New Year's celebration in a taxicab with Mrs. Wilma Leibe, their landlady and had left Leibe behind. The men fired seven shots in all and Leibe is in the hospital with a shattered arm which have to be amputated. After the shooting the men embraced and shook hands, declaring they had no further cause to quarrel.

FORMER PRESIDENT TAFT STATES MERIT SYSTEM IS ULTIMATE REMEDY

WATERBURY, Conn., Jan. 1.—"The ultimate remedy of the one foul spot in American civic life—the conduct of municipal government—lies in the merit system," said former President Taft, in speaking at a chamber of commerce dinner tonight.

The merit system, he said, was more democratic in its essentials than any other system he could think of. The only way to make it operate efficiently, in his opinion would be to make it difficult to get into office and easy to be put out—without having recourse to the recall.

HOPE FOR SPEEDY SETTLEMENT DAWNS

Officials Are Inclined to Predict that Few Days Might See End of Copper Miners' Strike

TWO ELEMENTS DELAY PLANS

Solicitor Densmore Intimates Considerable Progress Had Been Made After the Three Conferences

EXCHANGES TELEGRAMS WITH FERRIS

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 1.—Hope for a speedy settlement of the copper miners' strike, which twenty four hours ago was rather intangible, developed today. As a result those officially in touch with the situation were inclined to predict that a few days more might see a end of the struggle which began last July.

Two elements tended to delay consummation of the mediation plans of John B. Densmore, solicitor of the department of labor. One was the absence of Charles H. Mayer, president of the Western Federation of Miners and the consequent necessity of reference to him by telegraph of several fundamental propositions. Another was the fact that the holiday kept some of the mining companies representatives more or less occupied with social duties. Mr. Densmore conferred with O. N. Hilton, chief of counsel of the Federation and Claude O. Taylor, president of the Michigan state Federation of labor. Later he had a brief session with Allan F. Rees, attorney for the Calumet and Hecla company. After these talks the representative of Secretary Wilson intimated that considerable progress had been made towards finding common ground for the warring interests.

Exchange Lengthy Telegrams.

The federal official also exchanged lengthy telegrams with Governor Ferris. The state executive requested as full a report as possible of the progress of the negotiations and Mr. Densmore gave him such information as he felt could be divulged without endangering the success of his efforts. No hint came from any of the conferees as to the nature of the plans.

Guesses as to its details centered about a belief that in some manner Mr. Densmore had found a method of settling the strike without requiring the companies to contribute even the cost of the Western Federation and conference, without giving the union the right of consideration. Men in touch with the situation pointed out that the mere fact that the companies had heard the views of the federation's representatives showed a distinct change from their former uncompromising determination not to recognize even the existence of the organization.

Preach Unionism and Socialism.

Meetings of opposing factions were held in Hancock within a few blocks of each other. Unionism and socialism were preached in a hall crowded with strikers and their sympathizers and resolutions condemning the actions of the mine owners, the deportation of Moyer and urging a congressional investigation of the strike with the view to ultimate public ownership of the mines were passed. The other gathering heard orators who deplored the introduction of Socialistic tenets in the community and blamed "outside agitators" for the troubles of the copper country. Its attendance was somewhat less than that of the union meeting. In view of the prospects of a settlement of the strike, it was understood, the companies have about decided to hold in abeyance determination not to re-employ any strikers after tomorrow. The events of last week, however, had already operated to hinder the "back to work" movement which since last summer has been fostered by business interests of the various towns in the district.

DUNNE WITHHOLDS NAME.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 1.—Governor Dunne declined again today to make public the name of the fifth member of the new utilities commission whom he has decided upon. He will announce it tomorrow morning.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Illinois—Snow or rain in north, rain in South Friday; Saturday colder and fair, except snow in northeast; high south winds shifting to northwest by Friday night.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded up to 8 p. m. Thursday were:

Jacksonville	30	32	28
Boston	16	26	20
Buffalo	26	27	28
New Orleans	50	56	42
New York	28	32	28
Chicago	31	31	28
Detroit	28	34	26
Omaha	36	36	26
St. Paul	28	28	22
Helena	34	38	32
San Francisco	60	62	54
Winnipeg	26	26	20

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AS the Old Year limps out and the Young Year comes skipping in, we stop for a while and consider many things. Foremost among the thoughts and sentiments which come trooping into our minds is a feeling of gratitude toward those good friends whose courteous spirit and patronage have been our greatest inspiration. To them we hope the New Year will bring rich gifts of happiness and success.

Schram
JEWELER

Mother Uses

"Cainson Flour"
(Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)

For those delicious
Roll and Bread --
Your bakings cannot
help but be good with
"Cainson Flour"

BARBERS UNION HOLDS FIRST ANNUAL BANQUET

Well Attended Gathering Addressed
By Well Known Citizens

Members of Barber's Union No. 497 J. B. I. U. of A., held their first annual banquet Thursday evening at the Haxley building, 214 South Main street, with a majority of the barbers of the city in attendance as well as several invited guests. The president of the union, A. B. Opperman filled the position of toastmaster, introducing the speakers in a very clever manner. The menu was an excellent one and the good fellowship manifest at the 1914 banquet augured well the success of succeeding banquets for many years to come.

Those who responded to toasts were Mayor George W. Davis, Commissioners Louis Engel, J. F. Brenner, and C. R. Knollenberg, W. B. Misner, A. B. Opperman and W. B. Briscoe.

JOIN THE CHRISTMAS CLUB
NOW FORMING
THE AYERS NATIONAL BANK

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mrs. John Clancy of 239 Prospect street was hostess at a delightful New Year party Wednesday evening. The twenty-five guests present spent the time at cards and in social converse until the midnight hour when the year 1914 was welcomed and elegant refreshments served.

The annual reunion of the McFillen family was held Thursday at the home of J. R. and Teresa McFillen at their home, 515 South Diamond street. Last year the reunion was held at the residence of J. C. McFillen at Litchberry. The guests enjoyed a delicious dinner at noon, spending the afternoon in a social way. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McFillen, daughter, Mrs. Edna Dunlap and son, William; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox and daughters, Irene and Florence; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cox and daughter, Frances; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cox, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Becker, Ewell Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Henderson and son Arthur.

The Pastoral Helpers of Central Christian church were entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L. Hayden on West College avenue by Mrs. R. L. Pratt's circle. About sixty members of the society and guests were present. Toward the close of the afternoon the president, Mrs. C. B. Pratt was presented with a fine hand made linen table cover. Rev. Mr. Darsie acting as spokesman. Music was furnished by Miss Hazel Claus and Miss Marie Finney.

Miss Mabel Bourn entertained a company at dinner Thursday at her home north of the city in honor of her cousin, Miss Mary Bourn, a student at Normal College, who is spending her vacation with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Quinlan entertained a number of friends at dinner at their home on Duolin avenue New Year's day. A sumptuous repast was served and the afternoon was very delightfully spent socially. Among the guests was Miss Anna Campbell of Springfield.

Miss Rowena Sinclair entertained a company of young people at a watch party at her home near Alexander Wednesday night. The home was very prettily decorated for the occasion, the parlor and living room being in green and red and the dining room in green and white, and in one room a very realistic imitation of snow was given. The hours were very delightfully spent in playing games and refreshments were served.

Mrs. James J. Barrows, 714 West College street, pleasantly entertained a company at dinner yesterday. There were present Mrs. Barrows' brother, Frank P. Irving, wife, two daughters and son; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, two daughters and son; Dr. and Mrs. George H. Sanford, Prof. F. W. Sanford of Lincoln, Neb., and S. W. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clement entertained a few friends at a 6 o'clock dinner at their home on South Diamond street, Thursday evening. A splendid menu was served and in the center of the table was a small Christmas tree. To each plate was extended a red ribbon and when pulled from beneath the tree came a beautiful gift. Each guest was also requested to pick out a card on which was a picture or sentence which applied to himself. Each one was fortunate in picking out the card intended. After the dinner the evening was spent in a delightful social manner. Among those present were E. N. Kitzer, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gilmore of Springfield; Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Goodrick and son, Miss Clark and Miss Lou Roberts.

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PASADENA ROSE TOURNAMENT.

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 1.—Pasadena presented the aspect of a huge baquet today in the occasion of her 25th annual tournament of roses. Fragrant buds and blossoms of innumerable varieties, together with plants and foliage and ferns of many kinds, contributed to the most spectacular floral display ever seen here in the land of flowers. As in previous years, the grand floral parade and the four horse chariot races were the leading features of the day's program.

MAYOR OF QUINCY HERE.

Mayor Abbott of Quincy was a visitor in the city Wednesday and spent some time with Mayor Davis and other city officials. Over in Quincy the people just now are specially interested in street lighting propositions as the Utility Company is seeking to have a contract renewed and enlarged. An election is to be held to determine whether or not the commission form of government will be adopted.

SUPPER AND DANCE.

Members of Post O. of the Travelers Protective association are looking forward with pleasure to a box supper and dance to be given in Degen's hall Saturday night, January 10. The committee on arrangements includes George McKee, Louis Cain, W. D. Gates, J. A. Munson and C. F. Ehnlé.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Fred Stevens, who met death Wednesday afternoon at Roodhouse by a railroad accident, will be held at Greenfield this morning at 10 o'clock.

MISS EVALYN CRAVEN WEDS

MR. CHAUNCEY C. ROBBETT

Ceremony Took Place New Year's Day at the Residence of the Bride's Parents—Will Make Their Home In Centralia.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized New Year's Day, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Craven 353 East Morgan street, when their only daughter Miss Evalyn became the bride of Mr. Chauncey C. Robbette. The ceremony was said at 4 o'clock by Rev. Clyde Darsie, pastor of the Central Christian church, in the presence of relatives and close friends of the young people. The attendants were Mr. William Von Dack of St. Louis and Miss Helen Rodgers of Waverly.

The house was attractively decorated. In the dining room pink and white were the colors, in the living room, Christmas decorations and in the parlor where the ceremony was said the colors green and white prevailed. The young people stood in front of an embankment of greenery and beneath a beautiful wedding bell made of smilax and Easter lilies. The bride wore a broadcated tulle suit and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The ring ceremony was used in an impressive manner.

As the bridal party entered the parlor, Miss Bernice Martis played Mendelssohn's wedding march and during the ceremony Schumann's Traumerel. While the supper was being served Mrs. E. C. Carpenter played a number of selections.

The bride has always made Jacksonville her home. She graduated from the Jacksonville high school with the class of 1911 and is also a graduate of Brown's Business college and is a member of the Christian church. She is a young woman possessing a sweet disposition and has many accomplishments. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcelus Robbette of Centralia. He is a graduate of the Centralia high school, and is employed by the C. B. & Q. railroad as a civil engineer. He belongs to the Elks, is a member of the Methodist church and is accounted a young man of splendid habits and business ability. The young people will start out their married life under most favorable circumstances.

Cutting the wedding cake afforded considerable amusement and the various articles were received as follows, ring, Mrs. Naomi Martis; dime, Miss Ruth Hall; darning needle, Mrs. M. J. Woolman. The young people received a number of beautiful and useful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbette left over the Wabash last night for Chicago and from there will go to Kansas City, Mo. They expect to be at home to their friends in Centralia, after the 10th.

Among the guests from out of the city were Mrs. Newton Craven and daughter Evalyn, Alton; Miss Clara Heskins, William Von Dack, St. Louis; Mrs. Cora Rodgers and daughter Helen, Waverly; George Monroe, St. Louis.

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PAY TEACHERS TO STUDY ABROAD.

"Citizens should grant leave with half-pay to modern language teachers who will go the expense of study abroad," declares William B. Snow, of the Boston English high school, in a bulletin just issued by the United States Bureau of Education. On the whole Dr. Snow thinks modern language instruction in our best schools is as good as that abroad, in proportion to the time allowed. "We need more good teachers and an opportunity for selected pupils to begin the study of a foreign language under competent instruction in the grades. The colleges should give special attention to preparing teachers of modern languages."

In speaking of the various methods of language instruction, each with its ardent advocates, Mr. Snow says the reason the discussion waxed so warm is that all the methods have some good features; that nearly everything depends upon the teacher. "The worst of a dozen methods, employed by a strong teacher with underlying purpose well in mind, will give a more valuable training and better results than any method when employed by an inferior teacher."

It is probable, too, that one method is better than another in doing some things, but less effective in securing a different end, so that the aim which seems most important will determine the method to be used in a particular case. Instead of trying to lay out in detail the "best method," we should consider various methods that have been found good, endeavor to see wherein their merit lies, and decide what method seems especially well suited to various conditions and to different types of classes or teachers."

On the question of whether conversation or translation should be emphasized in teaching modern languages, Mr. Snow insists that both demand teaching of the very highest type to be effective, that both are valuable. "Translation has its own merits and its bitter enemies. Reformers have worked as hard to drive it out of the class as they have to drag conversation in. The difficulty is that the meat in the sandwich has a tendency to drop out and leave only the bare bread; translation comes to be a mechanical substitution of the words of another, with little or no thought in the process, while translation ought to mean the study of a passage until its thought is clearly apprehended and then an effort to put that exact thought into the other language with all the force and heat that our command of the second language makes possible."

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"A Happy and Prosperous
New Year."

for our many patrons who have favored us with their trade during the past year, and thus made it possible for us to report a successful year's business.

For 1914

we ask your continued favors, which will be appreciated, and we will make it a benefit to both our customers and ourselves.

All accounts on our books are now due and an early settlement will be appreciated.

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CITY AND COUNTY

James Middleton of Ebenezer was
a visitor in the city yesterday.

Walter Adkins of Ashland trans-
acted business in the city yester-
day.

J. E. King of Virginia was trans-
acting business in the city yester-
day.

E. J. Reed was a city visitor yester-
day from the Ebenezer neighbor-
hood.

Miss Martha Murray of Davenport
street is visiting with friends in Win-
chester.

Charles and Marie Shaven are
visiting their uncle, H. P. Cox, near
Orleans.

Dr. J. M. Elder of Franklin was
attending to business in the city yester-
day.

G. A. Schember of Winchester was
among the business visitors in the city
yesterday.

George B. Simpson and wife of
Alton were among the Thursday vis-
itors in the city.

Miss Mary Murphy of Davenport
street has gone to Murrayville for
a visit with friends.

Thomas Stubbfield of the Pis-
gah neighborhood was a visitor in
the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Nellie Reed of South East
street has gone to Beardstown for
a visit with friends.

F. A. and Jesse DeFrates of
Springfield were visiting relatives
in the city Thursday.

Joseph Lindsay of northeast
of the city has left for New Orleans
on a sight-seeing trip.

Oliver Cain who is working for a
milling company of Minneapolis, is
visiting with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Fell of Mat-
toon were among the Thursday vis-
itors in the city yesterday.

Percy Dooling of 513 Edgmon
street has completed the bookkeep-
ing course at Brown's Business col-
lege.

Roy Anderson of Nortonville has
taken a place in the barber shop
of Carter Shumaker, East State
street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Christisen
have returned to the city after a
visit with relatives in Des Moines,
Iowa.

L. J. Owings of Baylis, manager of
the La Crosse Lumber company of
that place, was a business caller in
the city yesterday.

Mrs. Alden Brown of West State
street was expected to arrive yester-
day from Quincy, where she spent
the holidays with her mother, Mrs.
Ernest Dick.

E. O. Overpeck of Chicago was
in the city yesterday looking after
the work at Swift & Co., which will
soon be completed.

Mrs. W. E. Spoons and daughter
are expected home today from Pe-
kin, Ill., where they have been visit-
ing Mrs. Spoons' son, Darwin
Spoons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fay, who have
been spending a few days in Chicago
since their marriage last Sunday re-
turned to Jacksonville yesterday
morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Brittenham
have returned from De Soto, Mo.,
where they went for their wedding
trip. It is probable that he and his
father may establish a branch house
at De Soto.

Mrs. J. J. Wilkinson of White
Hall and daughter, Mrs. Matilda
Johnson of Soldier, Kans., were
guests yesterday of Mrs. Wilkinson's
son, W. C. Springgate of South Diamond
street.

Miss Lillian Havenhill of Bloom-
ington, who is spending the holi-
days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
M. H. Havenhill, will return to the
city today from a short visit with
Miss Ione Linder of Carrollton.

Oliver Cain returned Thursday
morning from a week's stay in Min-
neapolis, Minn. Mr. Cain has taken
a position as traveling representative
of the Russell-Miller Milling com-
pany and spent the past week at the
company's offices.

Mrs. Mary P. Dickinson of St.
Louis came to Jacksonville yester-
day to be present at the funeral of
her brother the late James T. King.

Miss Beatrice K. Dickinson of St.
Louis, Mrs. L. S. Wilcox of Cham-
paign and Earl K. Dickinson of Ft.
Worth, Texas, are also here for the
funeral.

Chicago, Jan. 1.—The Rufus F.
Dawes Hotel, Chicago's first endow-
ed home for unemployed men was
thrown open tonight and two hours
later its capacity of 305 guests was
reached.

In mid-afternoon a small knot of
men gathered in front of the new
building. They formed two lines of
ragged humanity which grew until
they extended for a block in either
direction. There were more than a
hundred in line when the last bed
was taken.

The doors were opened by Charles
G. Dawes, former comptroller of the
currency, who built the hotel as a
memorial to his son who was inter-
ested in sociological work. The ju-
nior Dawes was drowned more than
a year ago.

Before retiring each guest was re-
quired to bathe and was given a
night dress and slippers. Clothing
of the lodgers was placed in steel
lockers which were superheated to
destroy all life.

A bed and a bath were furnished
for a nickle and there are rooms
for a dime for more particular
guests. A bowl of soup may be ob-
tained for two cents, pie for three
cents, coffee for two cents and rolls
for one cent. An employment ag-
ency is operated in connection with
the hotel.

Mr. Dawes and his daughter sat
before the fire-place in the lobby
and listened for several hours to
stories of fruitless job hunting. Over
the fire-place was a large flag with
the inscription "Don't Give Up The
Ship."

It was made by Miss Hattie Stew-
art, grand-daughter of Margaret F.
Stewart, who made the original Perry
flag and donated by J. L. Felton of
Erie, Pa.

ADVANCING IN RAILROAD WORK
John L. Andrews, a brother of E.
C. Andrews of Grove street and an
uncle of Benjamin Andrews has for
a number of years been a division
superintendent for the Santa Fe and
has been located at Albuquerque,
N. M. Recently he was transferred
to Barstow, Calif., where he has a
large corps of trainmen under his
direction. Mr. Andrews is accounted
one of the most trusted of the divi-
sion superintendents on the big sys-
tem.

PAST WILL SPEAK
ON LABOR PROBLEM.
At the regular Sunday evening
service at 7:30, Rev. W. E. Spoons,
pastor of Northminster church will
speak on the Labor Union problem.
All laboring men and everyone is
cordially invited to attend.

FUNERAL OF MR. KING.
The funeral of James T. King will
be held at the residence 1047 West
State street this afternoon at 2:30
o'clock.

**TEMPLE ENCAMPMENT HAS
FIRST INSTALLATION**

Officers Take Up Their Duties in
the Newly Formed Organization—
Mathew Minter Chief Patriarch.

The installation of the first regu-
lar officers of Temple Encampment
No. 19, I. O. O. F. was held last
night in the new hall on East State
street. The three degrees were giv-
en to Davis Martin and W. S. Dou-
glas and following the work some
splendid and enthusiastic speeches
were made by several members and
visitors. A very pleasant surprise



MATHEW MINTER
First Chief Patriarch of New Temple
Encampment.

of the evening was the presentation
of a full set of officers regalia and
other things necessary for the con-
duct of the meeting by the first
Chief Patriarch, Mathew Minter.

The following officers were in-
stalled:

C. P.—Mathew Minter.
S. W.—George Brown.
H. P.—J. Marshall Miller.
J. W.—Charles W. Rudisill.
First G. T.—C. O. Bayha.
Second G. T.—H. L. Couchman.
Financial scribe—F. E. McDoug-
all.

Treasurer—Andrew Russel.
O. S. S.—Walter V. Coraor.
I. S. S.—William Day.

First W.—E. E. McPhail.
Second W.—J. A. Peterson.
Third W.—C. C. Henderson.

Fourth W.—Harry Phillips.
First G. T.—C. O. Bayha.
Second G. T.—H. L. Couchman.

At the business session, Asa M.
Robinson was elected Deputy C. P.
and T. S. Martin, Grand Represen-
tative.

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trustee lot in 16-15-10, \$1.

John W. Gomes to Viola Gomes,
land in 16-15-10, \$1.

W. S. and C. F. Ehnle to W. R.
Shaw part lot 3 Sanderson's addi-
tion to Jacksonville, \$600.

SLAYER BOSWORTH TO HANG.
Windsor, Vt., Jan. 1.—Officials of
the state prison here have completed
arrangements for the execution to-
morrow of Arthur Bosworth, the Es-
sex Junction murderer. Unless there
is an eleventh hour reprieve the ex-
ecution will take place tomorrow
morning. The gallows will be the
same on which Mary Rogers was ex-
ecuted several years ago. Bosworth
shot and killed Mae Labelle at Essex
Junction, June 9, 1911, because she
had repeatedly refused to receive at-
tentions from him. The condemned
man is said to have a wife and chil-
dren living in England.

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TRAVELERS GIVE DANCE
AND BOX SUPPER.
Post O. of the Travelers Protec-
tive association are planning to give
a dance and box supper in Degen's
hall the evening of January 10. The
committee in charge is composed of
George T. McKee, chairman, Louis
Cain, Charles F. Ehnle, W. D. Gates
and J. A. Manson. The association
will hold a regular meeting Satur-
day night in the rooms of the Cham-
ber of Commerce.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Mary Elizabeth King,
deceased.

The undersigned having been ap-
pointed administratrix of the estate
of Mary Elizabeth King late of the
County of Morgan and State of Illi-
nois, hereby gives notice that she
will appear before the county court
of Morgan County, at the court house
in Jacksonville, at the February
term, on the first Monday in Febru-
ary next, at which time all persons
having claims against said estate
are notified and requested to attend
for the purpose of having the same
adjusted.

All persons indebted to said es-
tate are requested to make immedi-
ate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this fifteenth day of De-
cember A. D., 1913.

Mrs. Alice D. Hall,
Administratrix.

Get Ready for January

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for the coming week. Our
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vice will please you.

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and then get one or more of the same, you will want to give
us a vote of thanks for making it possible to get such suits at
such prices.

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As Dec. 31st marks the
close of our business
year we would appreci-
ate a prompt settlement
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We take real and justified pride in our cheese of-
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our stock. The very finest quality and the widest
range of selection is the motto we follow for our
cheese department. Note some of the offerings.

Gouder, Domestic Swiss,
Camembert, Crustless Holland in Tin,
Edam, Grated Parmesan Cheese, Pineapple,
Limburger, New York Brick,
Pimento, New York Cream, Blue Label Cream,
Imported Swiss, McLaren's Deviled,
McLaren's Potted Cheese.

Geo. T. Douglas

Our Stores Will Close at Noon Today

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Is a "Blessing" to the man who wants a
good smoke but doesn't want it
to hurt him.

Ask Your Neighbor

The practicability of the following gifts for Xmas
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Electric Irons, Heating Pads,
Toaster Stoves, Gas Irons,
Percolators, Vacuum Cleaners,
Tea Samovars, Chafing Dish.

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household. Come and see our extensive Xmas line.

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Excellent
Vaudeville Feature
Today

Picture Program

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—A good western farce comedy fea-
turing Mary Charleston and Charles
Bennett. Vitagraph.

"OLD COUPONS"—A good com-
edy. Biograph.

"A SUCCESSFUL FAILURE"—
An Essanay photoplay comedy fea-
turing Dolores Cassinelli as the
mauveurist.

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Lubin presents "THE EVIL EYE"
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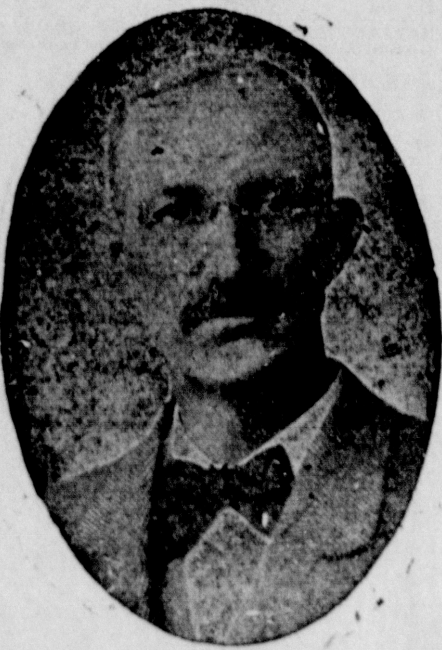
2nd: Our Neptune Coffee; its surely the best we have ever offered to our customers—and we care not where you buy or what price you pay. Neptune at 30c per pound is a winner.

3rd: Our North Dakota Early Ohio Potatoes are fine. We got them before the frost hit them. They cook mealy and white. You can get cheaper potatoes, but none better than ours.

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TAKE STEPS TO COMPLY WITH NEW UTILITIES LAW

Provisions Affecting Corporations
Doing Business in Jacksonville—
Regulations Regarding Free Service—Changes in Bookkeeping.

The new public utilities law which went into operation Thursday contains a number of provisions affecting corporations doing business in Jacksonville among which are rulings against discrimination and rebates, the provisions for posting of rates and tariffs and the use of a bookkeeping system which will keep inter-state and intra-state business separate.

In compliance with the section requiring the filing of rates, The Jacksonville Railway & Light Co., have prepared copies of their schedules and posted notices in their office that such schedules "showing all charges and regulations in effect" are on file at this office and may be inspected by any person on application and without the assignment of a reason for such desire. Likewise, the Illinois Telephone Co., have prepared and sent to each office a card of rates with instructions that they be posted in two prominent places.

Must Pay for Telephones.
A number of the telephones used by city officials, for which no charges have heretofore been assessed, will have to be paid for in compliance with Section 39 of the law which provides against discriminations and rebates. Letters were sent yesterday to the officials concerned by E. J. Howells, local manager of the Central Union, and similar notices will be sent within a few days, it is understood, by the officials of the Illinois Telephone Co. The Bell Co., furnishes the city three telephones which were specified in the franchise granted them in 1881 and six more which have been added in recent years. From now on these six phones will either be discontinued or paid for at the regular rates. Charges will be assessed also by the Illinois, according to the manager, W. W. Holliday, as the independent company agreed when they received their franchise in 1892 to furnish as many free phones as the Central Union for city use.

This section may also prevent city officers in uniform from riding free on the car lines. The Jacksonville Railway & Light Co., is operating without a franchise and it would appear from the new law that it is illegal for the company to grant any such privileges without the existence of special franchise provisions.

Section 39 of the new law follows:
"Section 39.—DISCRIMINATION—REBATES, ETC. No public utility, or any officer or agent thereof, or any person acting for or employed by it, shall directly or indirectly, by any device or means whatsoever, suffer or permit any corporation or person to obtain any service, commodity or product at less than the rate or other charge than established and in force as shown by the schedules filed and in effect at the time. No person or corporation shall, directly or indirectly, by any device or means whatsoever, whether with or without the consent or connivance of a public utility or any of its officers, agents, or employees, seek to obtain or obtain any service, commodity, or product at less than the rate or other charge than established and in force therefor."

Must Keep Separate Accounts.
Another section of the law provides that separate accounts be kept of inter-state and intra-state business by the express and telephone companies, as well as by all concerns doing an inter-state business. In discussing this provision, O. Newsum, local manager of the Postal Telegraph Co., gave an example of the new method of charging in the case of a message to New York. From Jacksonville to Springfield the fee would be entered in one account while another portion of the toll, charged for the use of the line between Springfield and New York, would be entered on a separate one. Express companies, it is understood, will have to keep their accounts in a similar way. Local officials seem to think that the provision is a wise one as it will aid greatly in the work of utilities commission when studying and making rates.

**ELLIOTT STATE BANK
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.**
Interest allowed on Savings. Deposits at rate of 3 per cent per annum. Savings Deposits received on or before JANUARY 10th will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

IMPOSES EXACTING REGULATIONS ON IMPORTATION OF POTATOES

Secretary Houston Lays Down Strict Rules to Guard Against Potato Diseases.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Regulations of the most exacting character restricting the importation of foreign potatoes into the United States to guard against potato diseases were laid down by Secretary Houston of the department of agriculture today in the form of an official decision. The regulations provide for lifting under certain conditions the quarantine now enforced against most of the potato growing section of the world. Upon the presentation of satisfactory evidence to the secretary of agriculture that a country is free from injurious potato disease and insect pests, potatoes will be admitted from that country in accordance with the regulations governing the importations from countries not now quarantined against.

Countries now barred from importing potatoes are: New Foundland, The Islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, Great Britain, including England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland, the nations of continental Europe and the dominion of Canada.

ILLINOIS STATE NEWS.

Wanted for Forgery—William Spencer, formerly of Louisville, Kentucky, but who has been employed as a farm hand in Cass county, is wanted for the forgery of checks on Charles Bowman and Tobe Beckum. The checks were passed to several of the merchants of Virginia.

One High Commission—A petition has been filed with the Griggsville town clerk asking that an election be called to vote on the proposition to have only one highway commissioner in that township.

Bonds for School Building—The Board of Education of Beardstown will probably employ an architect to perfect plans and prepare specifications for the new school building, at a special meeting to be held next Tuesday, January 6th.

A \$25,000 bond issue has been authorized to hear the expense of the new structure which will be a modern 8-room affair.

County Officers Temperate—The Calhoun Republican makes comment on the fact that every county officer in Pike county, as well as all the lawyers voted against saloons in the last local option elections.

Met Serious Accident—Leslie Beckum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beckum, who resides near Virginia met with a very painful and what nearly proved a very serious accident. He was coasting on a sled, which became unmanageable and run into a barbed wire fence, the wire striking him under the chin and cutting a gash across his throat. Two physicians were called and dressed the wound.

Women Divided on Question—A most surprising feature attended the first election Tuesday in which the women of Shelbyville participated, as when the votes were all in and counted it was found that of the 256 women who had cast their ballots on the paving bond question, exactly one-half were against them. The large vote of the women was in itself a surprise, but the even division on the paving question was little short of astounding.

Peoria Revenue Collections—The internal revenue collections for the Peoria district for the year 1913 amounted to \$34,618,711.18. Over 99 per cent of this amount represents tax collected on alcohol and liquors manufactured in Peoria. The receipts for alcohol and liquors for the year 1912 were \$32,288,402.15.

Have Issued Passes—J. E. Stumpf, superintendent of the Decatur division of the Wabash, said yesterday that passes would be given to employees and their families, as was the practice in 1913. The public utilities act which has gone into effect which contains clauses regarding the issuance of passes made many of the employees believe they would not receive passes for themselves or families.

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PEKIN MAY BUY STREET RAILWAY SYSTEM THERE

City Council Said To Favor the Plan—Question Would Be Submitted To Vote of People.

Pekin, Jan. 1.—At the meeting of the city council last evening it was the opinion of all commissioners that the city of Pekin should take over the street car property, provided it can be done under the new utilities act. The city attorney was instructed to look into the new law to ascertain whether or not the city is empowered to assume municipal ownership of a public utility. The city has now paid off a considerable amount of its indebtedness, consequently could issue sufficient bonds to take over the line and extend it to the East Bluff. The matter will be submitted to a vote, if the council decides to purchase.

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PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

Katherine Grey is soon to be seen in a new play called "The Rule of Three."

Eva Tanguay is to take her entire company to London early next spring.

Neil Kenyon is to begin an American tour soon under the Keith management.

Bernard Shaw is said to be writing a play based on the life of Cromwell.

The coming American tour of the Irish Players is to be confined to the middle west.

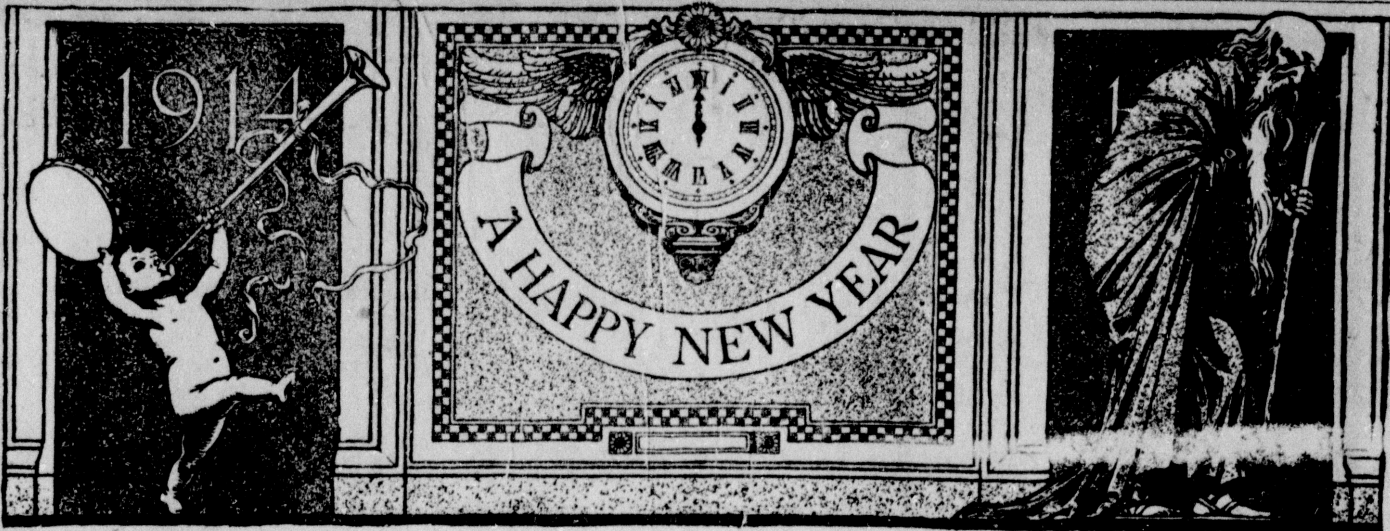
The Schuberts are preparing to produce a new comedy under the title of "The Chaparral."

Bells Story, a vaudeville singer, is to have the leading role in a new musical comedy in tabloid versions of Dickens' stories.

Charles Frohman has secured the American rights to "The World Without End," a new play by Sydney Grundy, the English dramatist.

Mrs. Patrick Campbell is to appear before a London audience soon as Pygmalion in the play of that name written by Bernard Shaw.

William A. Brady has accepted a comedy from Frank Collins called "Too Many Crooks," and will produce it, with the author in the leading role.



If you have as good a New Year as we wish for you, there will be nothing left for you to desire. If we can contribute in any way toward making our wish come true, we shall be glad to do it; come and tell us about it.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Gilmore, who have been guests at the home of E. N. Kitter, returned to Springfield last night. Mr. Gilmore is a brother-in-law of Mr. Kitter and is a train despatcher of the Wabash railroad.

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TEACHERS ASSOCIATION SECTIONS HAVE ELECTED OFFICERS

Chose Well Known Workers to Direct Activities of the Organization During Coming Year.

At the twelve sectional meetings of the Illinois Teachers association the following officers were chosen to serve for the coming year:

College Section.

President—G. A. Andren, Augustana college, Rock Island.
Vice-president—J. N. Fellows, James Milken university, Decatur.
Secretary—George N. Potter, Shurtleff college, Upper Alton.

Executive committee.—T. C. Burgess, Bradley Polytechnic institute, Peoria; C. L. VanSteenbergen, Lake Forest academy, Lake Forest; H. V. Candor, University of Illinois, Urbana.

Superintendents' Section.

The county superintendents elected officers for the coming year with Francis G. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction, as president. The other officers are:

Vice-president—A. L. Odenweller, Henry county; Secretary, Mrs. E. B. Batterton, Menard county; members of the executive committee, John H. Steiner, Adams county; Henry Fowler, Christian county; and Mrs. Fannie D. Merwin, Mason county.

The Principals.

The principals' section in their meeting yesterday afternoon elected the following officers:

President—H. W. Hostetter of Olney; vice president, H. E. Waits of Princeton; secretary, Superintendent Kirkpatrick of Chicago.

Music Section.

Constance Barlow Smith, assistant professor of music at the University of Illinois, was elected to head the music section. The other officers selected are:

Vice president, Miss Lulu Sharp, Kankakee; secretary, Miss Florence Hazlett, Taylorville; executive committee, Miss Clara Dailey, Peoria; Miss Minerva Hall, Decatur and Miss Myrtle Benby, East St. Louis.

Parent Teachers.

Following the discussion of sex hygiene the parent teachers' section elected the following officers:

Chairman—Mrs. William B. Owen, Chicago.

Vice chairman—Mrs. Orville T. Bright, Chicago.

Secretary—Mrs. Stuart Brown, Springfield.

High School.

The high school section unanimously elected the following as officers on motion of their nominating committee:

President, O. A. Robinson, principal of the high school, Streator; vice president, E. V. Tubbs, principal of the township high school of Centralia; secretary, Miss Marie Scott, Jacksonville.

Commercial Section.

The following officers were elected to guide the commercial section during the coming year:

President, D. C. Hilling, Peoria; vice president, E. F. Burch of the Rock Island high school; secretary, Miss Charlotte Vanderveen of the Joliet high school.

Village Principals.

The village principals' section elected the following officers:

President—C. H. Britton, El Paso, Woodford county.

Vice president—C. F. Seales, Buffalo, Sangamon county.

Secretary—John R. Willcockson, Mulberry Grove, Bond county.

Child Study.

Otto M. Becker, principal of the Spencer school of Chicago, was appointed president of the child study section by F. A. Turner of the state Normal school, the retiring president. No other officers were elected.

Officers elected for the coming year of the primary section are:

President, Miss Laura Eyestone, Normal; vice president, Miss Nellie F. Barrett of Lewiston; secretary, Miss Mayne Snyder of Canton.

Members of the executive committee for the year 1914 were chosen as follows:

Miss Emma L. Olmstead, Springfield; Miss Mary L. Robinson of Peoria and Miss Eunice Beatson of Rockford.

Country Teachers.

The country teachers' section elected the following officers:

President—Miss Martha Larson, Sullivan.

Vice president—J. R. Gibberson, Carlisle.

Secretary—Miss Mamie E. Thompson, Briggsville.

Executive committee—Miss Mahel Carney, Normal; H. E. Lamb, Hendon and Miss Faerie Mallory, Rollo.

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ELECTION AT CONCORD.

An election will be held at Concord January 6th when a president, clerk and trustees will be chosen and Concord will then come under village management. The official ballot will show a Peoples ticket with the following names and blanks at the side for writing in names as the voter may wish.

For president—W. H. Williamson.

For clerk—W. A. Smith.

For trustees—L. F. Bayless, B. A. Cratz, C. E. Rexroat, W. H. Cooper, I. A. Whorton, O. T. Ham.

BIDS FOR GENERATOR.

Sealed bids will be received by the city of Jacksonville, at the office of the commissioner of accounts and finance, at the city hall, until 10 a. m., January 5th, 1914, for one three phase, 60 cycle, 2300 volts, belted generator 150 K. W., alternating current, in accordance with specifications on file at the office of the city clerk. All bids should be sealed and marked "Bid for Generator" and addressed to the undersigned. The city reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Charles R. Knollenberg,

Commissioner of Accounts and Finance.

Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 22, 1913.

PURE MATTRESS LAW.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 1.—Under the provisions of a law put into effect today every mattress sold in Minnesota must bear a label showing the materials used in its manufacture, and whether they are new or second hand. Another law passed by the last legislature and which went into effect today makes sweeping changes in the tax classifications. Instead of assessing all property at full value, as heretofore, the property is divided into four classes for the purposes of taxation. Iron ore lands are to be assessed at 50 per cent of actual value; household goods and wearing apparel at 25 per cent, merchandise, farm and factory products, tools and implements and unplanted real estate at 33 1-3 per cent, and city real estate at 40 per cent of its actual value.

OLDEST JUSTICE BEGINS HIS SIXTH TERM.

Bethlehem, Pa., Jan. 1.—William R. Hauser, known as the "peace making" squire of Weaversville, today entered upon his sixth consecutive term of office. Mr. Hauser is in his 80th year and is believed to be the oldest justice of the peace in Pennsylvania. During his many years in office has succeeded in settling peacefully all the cases brought before him, with the exception of four, which he had to send to court.

EARLY DAYS IN JACKSONVILLE

Writing for the Peoria Star Henry P. Day gives the following recollections of his boyhood days in Jacksonville:

During my boyhood in Jacksonville a great many "prairie schooners" as they were called, hundreds of them, passed through the city on their way westward, and occasionally going back eastward, Jacksonville being on the state road, which passed also through Springfield and Naples, the latter a village on the Illinois river.

They were bound mostly for the region west of the Mississippi river—Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, and even farther. These "schooners" were large wagons covered all over with cloth in an oval fashion, drawn by two or four horses or mules—and often there followed, tied to the back of the wagon, another horse or mule, a colt, a cow, a calf or more of them. Often one or more dogs accompanied the wagon running beside or behind it. The whole family traveled together, in the wagon, with their household goods, camping out at night in the woods, or by the roadside, and cooking their meals on fires they made where they stopped. Often two or more families—perhaps even a dozen—traveled together in this manner, in as many different wagons.

On one wagon going west was a placard "Pike's Peak or Bust." In a few months it came back, returning, and the placard read, "Busted by . . ."

In those times St. Louis was a more important city to the people of Jacksonville and vicinity than Chicago. It was nearer and quicker and easier of access. The St. Louis papers—the Democrat (which was republican in politics), and the Republican (which was democrat in politics), reached Jacksonville much earlier than the Chicago papers—the Tribune and Times. Many copies of all these papers were taken, bought and read there, as well as of the Chicago Evening Journal and of the Springfield State Journal. The only Jacksonville daily at that time was the Journal (republican). The democratic paper was a weekly called the Sentinel. Many cattle and hogs and much corn were shipped to Chicago, but the people generally traded more at St. Louis. Many went there to do shopping or to attend operas or on pleasure trips generally. A favorite and very pleasant trip was to go to Naples on the Washburn railroad and there take the steamboat to St. Louis, returning the same way or by the Chicago & Alton railroad. The first railroad built in Illinois passed through Jacksonville. It ran from Springfield to Meredosia. In my boyhood I visited St. Louis myself once, and I recollect going on a steamboat from that city, and spending the day near Pilot Knob, I think, on a plantation, where there were a number of negroes.

There were a number of villages in Morgan county to which people used to drive on business or pleasure. Among these were Waverly (the largest), Franklin, Meredosia, Concord, Chapin, Joy Prairie, Lynnville, Litterberry, Arenzville, Crackers' Bend, Alexander and Pisgah. Litterberry was named on the same principle as Wilkes-Barre, Pa.—after two prominent residents. At Lynnville there was a small tavern or inn, at which buggy or sleighing parties could have a dance, or get a good supper. Winchester, the seat of Scott county, was a good place to drive to. There was a good hotel there. On the Manayester creek in Morgan county, in winter, one could skate for miles, but it was necessary occasionally to take off

one's skates and walk a while till more good ice was found. I skated there often, and would go out with a luncheon and stay all day. The skaters made fires on the banks for warming themselves.

In those days prairie chicken and quail, as well as wild ducks and rabbits, were very plentiful in that region of Illinois and hunting was a favorite and common pastime as well as an occupation for many people. A good shot could easily bag a big lot of game, not only for his own eating and that of his family, but also for the market. Much of this game was shipped away, even to the far east. All of it had a very fine flavor.

General Hardin, who distinguished himself in the Mexican war, had been a resident of Jacksonville, and in my time his family were still living there on West State street. One day his sons took me out in the country on an all day hunting expedition with them. They did the shooting, and I stayed in the wagon and kept watch there. They kindly gave me a share of the game.

Saturday was the great day in Jacksonville in those times. The country people came into town in great numbers to sell their produce and to buy goods. They would leave their teams and wagons and other vehicles all around the public square in a solid mass, often two or three deep. The sidewalks around the square were often crowded with people as thickly as in a very big city. It was a very profitable day for the business men of the place. Often some of the men from the country became very intoxicated, and drove home in a sorry condition, sometimes reclining or lying on the seats, and sometimes yelling and shouting. Sometimes the horses, I think, took them home without driving. The horse is an intelligent animal and he does not get drunk, and he can often be relied upon to guide himself alone, especially when he is homeward bound. The country visitors used to well to each other across the public square at the top of their voices, as, for instance, "Hello thar, Jake, where are you?" And the reply yelled back would possibly be, "Going over to Hamilton's to get some crackers and cheese."

BIDS FOR BOILER.

Sealed bids will be received by the City of Jacksonville, Ill., at the office of Commissioner of Accounts and Finance at City Hall until 10 a. m., January 5th, A. D., 1914, for one Water Tube Boiler in accordance with specifications on file at the office of City Clerk.

All bids should be sealed and marked "Bids for Boiler" and addressed to the undersigned.

Charles R. Knollenberg,

Commissioner of Accounts and Finance.

The city reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 22, 1913.

UNDER COMMISSION RULE.

Lethbridge, Alta., Jan. 1.—Lethbridge, the first city in Canada to adopt the straight commission government, today installed its commissioners in office and put the new system into operation. Under the plan as adopted the affairs of the city will be looked after by three commissioners. One, who serves also as mayor, will be in charge of finance and public safety. The second will be in charge of public works and the third will look after public utilities.

BRAKE PUT ON DIVORCES.

Carroll City, Nev., Jan. 1.—Conditions which have made Reno the Mecca for mismatched are no more. Today there came into effect the Barnes amendment to the divorce law, which requires an applicant for divorce to reside in Nevada a year, instead of six months, as heretofore.

CONDENSED STATEMENT

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DECEMBER 31, 1913.

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Loan and discounts	\$1,012,172.13
United States Bonds (par value)	114,000.00
Overdrafts	8,778.70
Other Bonds and securities (market value)	253,678.25
Real Estate	1,705.58
Cash and due from banks (Exchange)	218,443.94
	\$1,638,778.60

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$200,000.00
Surplus Funds	50,000.00
Undivided profits	36,513.00
Circulating notes received from Comptroller	100,000.00

DEPOSITS

Banks	\$ 15,257.28
Subject to check	1,002,351.51
Certificates of Deposit	231,651.81
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3 Cans Good Corn	.25
1 doz. Woodford Corn	.95
Good Peas, per can	.10
1 doz. Peas	1.15
Good Tomatoes, per can	.10
3 cans Kidney Beans	.25
3 cans Mustard Sardines	.25
1 Large Can Salmon	.10
1 can Baked Beans with Tomato Sauce	.10
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"GUNBOAT" SMITH KNOCKS PELKEY OUT IN FIFTEENTH

Canadian Proves a Keen Disappointment--Cross Wins Bout from Anderson Via Knock-Out Route--Wolga Outclasses Redmond.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—"Gunboat" Smith, the California heavy-weight, scored a decisive victory today when he knocked out Arthur Pelkey, the much heralded Canadian fighter, in the fifteenth round of their "white hope" championship battle in the Daly City open air amphitheatre. The sailor was a strong favorite in the betting at odds of 10 to 7.

Smith's aggressiveness culminated in a clean cut right to the chin and his superior all-around work in all but two or three rounds did much to pave his way to victory.

Tokky a Disappointment.
Tokky proved a keen disappointment, being slow and seldom taking the fight to his shifty opponent.

The fight opened with the gunner forcing matters with snappy lefts to the fact, but Pelkey, making his best showing, drove in several hard rights to the body and face that staggered Smith and sent him to his corner bleeding from his mouth. The crowd cheered the Canadian and bets were made at even money that he would win. In the second round Smith scored heavily to the jaw but his swings missed time and again. In the next round Pelkey clouted his man viciously over the kidneys and again Smith's swings were wild. Rounds four and five were without feature but in the sixth Smith forged to the front and thereafter was never in danger. In this round he fought the Canadian to a standstill with left uppercuts sending him to his corner dazed and bleeding from the mouth.

Smith Makes Blows Tell.
The seventh round found Pelkey stalling and the seaman landing repeatedly on the jaw and body, but still swinging wildly. In the eighth the gunner seemed to gauge his distances and few of his efforts were wasted.

Smith continued to gain confidence as the fight progressed and dancing around his bulkier opponent with the agility of a featherweight, worked his left to great advantage and forced Pelkey to crouch for shelter. After thirty seconds fighting in the fifteenth round Smith feinted with his left, then swung his right with lightning-like rapidity. The blow landed with a crash on Pelkey's unprotected jaw. Pelkey dropped with his eyes glassy. Mechanically he struggled to his feet at the count of nine and unsteadily assumed his fighting pose. A left and right applied similarly finished the bout.

Anderson Knocked Out.
Los Angeles, Jan. 1.—For the second time in six months, Bud Anderson of Medford, Ore., was knocked out today by Leach Cross of New York. The end came in the seventh round, when Anderson went down for the third time under a shower of blows to the jaw and stomach and fell helpless across the ropes. He was out fully five minutes.

It was a one-sided battle. Cross was the master in every round and in the seventh beat Anderson to the floor three times, the last for the count.

Cross used identically the ring tactics he employed July 4th, last, in his fight against Anderson when he achieved the same result. He stalled and then sailed in and beat his man down. The stalling began in the sixth round. Cross staggered about with his arms hanging down, and catching Anderson off guard, hammered his jaw and stomach with a sudden volley of straight arm blows. In the seventh the New Yorker repeated the ruse. A left hook to the chin sent Anderson down the first time. He took the count of eight, Cross next upped, sending Anderson to the floor a second time. On arising Anderson held on, helpless. The crowd yelled to the referee to stop the fight. Cross shot a right jolt to the coast boy's chin, a left swing to the stomach and Anderson collapsed.

Redmond Clearly Outclassed.
Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 1.—Ad Wolga, Cadillac, Mich., former light-weight champion pugilist, defeated Jack Redmond, Milwaukee, in five rounds of a ten round boxing contest this afternoon.

Referee Harry Stout stopped the contest about the middle of the fifth round when Redmond was clearly shown to be outclassed and without any chance to win.

The first two rounds were rather tame and resulted in no advantage for either boy. Wolga tore loose at the beginning of the third session and had matters all his own way from then on. The Michigan boy inflicted severe body punishment and also had Redmond bleeding from the mouth in the fourth round.

"Dixie Kid" Defeated on Points.
London, Jan. 1.—Bandsman Blake, the champion English middle-weight pugilist, tonight defeated "Dixie Kid" the American negro boxer on points in a 20-round bout. Blake is regarded by the followers of pugilism as the most likely to regain England's lost heavy-weight honors from the Frenchman, George Carpentier, who recently knocked out Bombardier Wells, who held the title, in one minute and thirteen seconds.

Wins by Knock-out.
New York, Jan. 1.—Battling Levinsky, a light heavy-weight of this

city, knocked out Tom Daly the Omaha giant this afternoon in the second round of what was to have been a ten round bout.

Levinsky easily out boxed his opponent in the opening round when he sent in two lefts to the stomach. In the second round he doubled fully up with a hard smash to the stomach and the Omaha man was out for five minutes. Daly outweighed Levinsky by forty eight pounds.

Kid Herman Bested.
New York, Jan. 1.—"Sapper" O'Neill, the English light-weight pugilist outpointed Johnny Harvey of this city in a ten round bout here today. Young Fox, also of England proved to be too clever for Kid Herman, a bantam weight from Pekin, Ill., in another bout which went to the ten round limit.

Dillon Out-rights Christie.
Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 1.—Jack Dillon of Indianapolis claimant of the middle-weight championship out-fought Gus Christie of Milwaukee in a ten round bout there this afternoon. Every round was Dillon's and Christie frequently saved himself by hanging on.

Welsh Defeats Dundee.
New Orleans, La., Jan. 1.—Fredie Welsh light-weight champion of England, defeated Johnny Dundee of New York here today in a ten round fight.

Fight No Decision Bout.
Cincinnati, Jan. 1.—Joe Mandor of New Orleans and Earl Fisher of this city fought an interesting ten round bout here today with no decision by the referee. Fisher was aggressive and showed much class. Both men are light-weights.

Brewer Wins Over Ferns.
Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 1.—Harry Brewer of Kansas City won a ten round decision over "Wildcat" Ferns of Kansas City here this afternoon after ten rounds of furious fighting. The men are welter-weights.

BLANCHARD WINS RACE.
Chicago, Jan. 1.—Fifty thinly clad riders pumped their bicycles eleven miles against a biting wind to Pullman today in the annual road race of the Two-Fifty Club. Ralph Blanchard reached the tape in 33 minutes and 30 seconds. The record for the course is 28 minutes. Several hundred persons saw the start.

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'Squire Caldwell was a visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bingham of Alberta, Canada, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Coker.

The children of Science Hill school entertained a large audience of their friends at the school house last Wednesday afternoon with songs and declamations. A visit from Santa Claus was greatly enjoyed by all.

Albert Craig spent Tuesday in Jacksonville.

Messrs. George Coker and Sam Mills were in Jacksonville Monday.

Vernon Baker of Murrayville was a visitor here Tuesday.

Misses Lucile Jackson and Bessie Pratt and James Kulp Jackson were guests of Albert Curry several days the past week.

J. E. Curry shipped a car load of cattle to the St. Louis market Tuesday.

Sherman Smith and son of Jacksonville were visitors here last Saturday.

The following guests were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Curry on Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Curry and son, Albert, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Camm and Sam Camm of Franklin.

W. H. Mosley was a business visitor in Jacksonville Tuesday.

Guy Friend of Barnett is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mumbower.

The children of Union Sunday school received their Christmas treat last Wednesday evening. The church was crowded with friends, who came to hear the younger ones with their addresses and music. A large tree was finely decorated and presents were received by most every one in the church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Beekman entertained a large number of their friends at a dinner last Thursday.

PUBLIC SALE.
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OHIO'S COMPENSATION ACT.
Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 1.—What is pronounced by experts to be the most advanced workmen's compensation act in the United States comes into operation in Ohio today. The act, which was passed by the last legislature, makes it mandatory upon every employer of five or more persons to protect his workers with state insurance. Under the old employers' liability laws of Ohio compensation was recovered for only about 20 per cent of the injuries and deaths. Under the new act every injured employee receives medical attention and compensation for time lost after the first week of the disability, and in the event of his death his dependents are cared for.

By the state authorities it is estimated that more than 20,000 employers, with an aggregate working force of more than 1,000,000, will be covered by the new law, and that from \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000 will be collected and paid out yearly by the state as compensation to injured and disabled workmen or to dependents of those who are killed in the pursuit of their employment.

WOODSON.

Last Sunday evening was the beginning of a series of sermons by Rev. Mr. Coleman, pastor of Unit Presbyterian church. His subject was "What's the Matter With Woodson?" There was a very good attendance. L. A. McKean of Princeton rendered a fine solo. The subject for next Sunday evening is "If Woodson Loses, Who Will Win?" Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Nellis Crain of Jacksonville visited relatives here last week.

C. F. Kehl of Mexico, Mo., spent Christmas day here with relatives. Mrs. Kehl and children came last week for a visit. All were entertained at Christmas dinner at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Staples. Other guests were Mr. James Smith and daughter, Miss Emma, of Missouri, Miss Alta Kehl and Lorenz Kehl.

Russel McAllister is spending the holidays with his sister, Mrs. Charles Dewese, and family at Odell.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Jones and children took Christmas dinner with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, at Lynnville. Mrs. Jones and children remained until Saturday for a visit.

The Misses Ione and Ruth Gallagher are spending a few days with relatives near Murrayville.

Mrs. Martha Masters of Whitehall has ended a week's visit with relatives near here.

Cyril Wardle returned to his home in Chicago Saturday after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Mrs. T. M. Whitlock, son, Raymond, and daughter, Dorothy, were guests part of last week of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ruyie, near Ceres.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ezard, Tuesday, Dec. 23d, a son, Russel Harold.

The monthly meeting of the C. W. B. M. of the Christian church has been postponed to the second Thursday in January. The date is Jan. 8.

All members are urged to be present. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. M. Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henry entertained about forty relatives and friends at dinner Sunday, Dec. 28.

Cecil Megginson, a student at Eureka college, is spending the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Megginson.

Miss Marie Megginson entertained at dinner last Sunday Homer Furr of Carbondale, Miss Nell Clampt and Alfred Cox of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Ellsworth Hembrough and two children left Monday night for Kansas, where they will reside in the future. She was accompanied by Miss Hembrough. Mr. Hembrough preceded them some two weeks ago.

Rook & McAllister shipped two cars of hogs to East St. Louis Tuesday.

Joe Hellowell went to St. Louis Wednesday on business.

Mrs. W. B. White was a visitor in Murrayville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ball Fitzsimmons gave a family dinner at their home Sunday Dec. 28. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzsimmons and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fitzsimmons and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Fitzsimmons and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ketner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shelton and family of Ashland, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith and family of Lynnville, Wilbert and Floyd Fitzsimmons.

Charlie Waters of Jerseyville was a caller here Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Danskin of Jacksonville was a Sunday guest of her friend, Miss Eva Baxter.

Cleo Hart and sister, Miss Ivy, went to Modesto last week to visit their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lynch. Cleo returned home Wednesday. Miss Ivy remained for a few days.

AN ORDINANCE.
The following is the anti-liquor ordinance which the city council adopted Monday:

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Jacksonville:

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any express company, railway company or other common carrier or for any person to bring into or to deliver to any person within the city of Jacksonville any intoxicating liquors."

"Sec. 2. Any express company, railway company or other common carrier or any person violating any of the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall be held and pay to the city of Jacksonville as a penalty the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each and every such violation."

Passed at a regular meeting of the city council, Monday Dec. 1, 1913.

George W. Davis, Mayor.

Attest:
R. L. Pratt, city clerk.

MERGER OF CARPENTERS' UNIONS.
Indianapolis, Jan. 1.—The merger of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America and the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners, which was agreed upon by referendum vote of the memberships some time ago, became effective today. The merger ends a jurisdictional dispute that has been a source of trouble in labor circles for many years. As a result of the amalgamation of the two societies virtually all branches of the carpenters' union trade in the United States, Canada and Mexico are brought under the control of one organization.

BRAZIL ADOPTS GREENWICH TIME.
Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 1.—The decision of the Brazilian government fixing the meridian of Greenwich for reckoning the official hour throughout the country was put into effect today. Some surprise has been expressed at the government's decision, since it has been thought natural that the Washington meridian might be adopted for the regulation of the official time.

BASEBALL NOTES

Manager Stallings has 33 men on the Boston Braves' roster, 17 of whom are slab artists.

The Indianapolis club has released Pitcher "Lefty" Harrington to the Birmingham club of the New York State league.

Billy Clymer's Buffalo team will play a series of games with the Columbus American association team at Columbus next April.

Wisconsin-Illinois league clubs realized \$15,000 from the sales of players last season. The W-I circuit sent 17 tossers to higher class leagues.

Five catchers, twelve pitchers, nine infielders and eight outfielders will report to Manager Evers of the Cubs at Tampa, Fla., for the spring workout.

The Washington club directors paid a pretty nifty compliment to Walter Johnson when they insured the "king of heavies" for a hundred thousand dollars.

Pitcher Jack Coombs has returned to his home in Kennebunk, Me. He is slowly recovering from his long siege of illness, but it is still considered doubtful if he will be able to report to the Athletics next spring.

The Peoria Three-I club is trying to land Manager Ned Egan of the Ottumwa team to pilot the Distillers. Egan has been such a consistent pennant winner that he is known as the Connie Mack of the Central association.

"Buck" Freeman, famous for his home runs when he played in the big leagues a few years ago, is a stoker in the boiler room of a silk mill in Wilkesbarre. "Buck" has stored away a good sized fortune, but he still feels that he must stick on the job.

MARYLAND LAWMAKERS.
Annapolis, Md., Jan. 1.—The regular biennial session of the Maryland legislature convened today and proceeded with the work of organization. A local option bill probably will be one of the first measures of importance introduced at the session. Present indications are that it will meet defeat at the hands of the Democratic leaders. Another important item on the legislative calendar is a plan to take from the governor the power to appoint the police and liquor license boards of the city of Baltimore.

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Arenville 27-60. Joy Prairie
Elevator. 27-6t

FOR SALE—12 residences at var-
ious prices. It will pay to invest-
igate. Apply room 4, Duncan
building. 7-24-tf

FOR SALE—Below value, my resi-
dence near library. Do not phone.
W. W. Crane, 223 W. College Ave.
30-tf

FOR SALE—1000 bushels of good
solid corn in crib. Also a few
tons of good mixed hay. Stans-
field Baldwin, Ill. phone 063. 30-tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For Jack-
sonville property, 160 acre farm,
12 miles from capitol of South
Dakota in gas belt. Dr. A. B.
Applebee, 326 W. State St. 1-6t

FOR SALE—On installment plan,
good 5 room house, paved street,
gas, water and concrete walks.
Call in person at The Johnston
Agency. 1-tf

FOR SALE—The best storm buggy
inclusive features well worth con-
sidering. I'll show you. Broad-
well, 345 West College ave. 1-6t

FOR SALE—Farm of 150 acres in
Northern Missouri; all tillable, 2
barns, scales, etc. Might consider
Jacksonville property in part pay-
ment. Address "Farm" this
office. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Some acreage in South
Jacksonville well located, near car
line and two blocks from pave-
ment; very desirable for suburban
home or could be plotted in lots
to good advantage. E. B. Heintz.
28-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY to lend always. The John-
ston Agency. 9-20-tf

LEATHERWEAR and Trunks at
Harney's, The Leather Goods Man.
4-tf

REMEMBER—We pay the highest
market prices for all kinds of
poultry. Brittenham & Son, 222
N. Main, Ill. phone 396; Bell,
635. 25-tf

WOODS CARRIAGE AND BAG-
gage line. Order for all trains
and special occasions; prompt
and reliable service at all times.
Both phones 174. Office at 219
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120 acres mile from town, 100 acres
under plow, good house, barn
and other out buildings, well
fenced, plenty of fruit. Will ex-
change for city property.

80 acres nice laying piece of land,
all under fence, will exchange for
larger farm and pay cash differ-
ence, two miles from town.

145 acres one mile from town, 100
acres under cultivation, 8 room
house, good barn, other out build-
ings, good fences, lots of fruit,
water year round. Will exchange
for city property.

160 acres four miles or two good
towns, good house, barn and other
out buildings. One-fourth mile to
school. Party wants merchandise.
Wilkinson Realty Co., Farrel Build-
ing, Illinois phone 919. 19-tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Small black and tan dog.
White on tail. Call Ill. phone
1497. 13-tf

LOST—Short black chinchilla over-
coat between Jacksonville and
Sinclair. Finder call Ill. phone
190. 31-3t

MRS. C. R. APPLEGATE

Tells Mothers What To Do For Del-
icate Children.

"My little boy has been rather del-
icate for a long time. He was al-
ways very pale and his appetite was
poor. Several people recommended
"Vinol." I gave it to him and he took
it willingly, as the taste is delicious.
In a short time I noticed a great im-
provement in his appetite. He soon
had more color in his cheeks. He is
now well like other children and
ramps about every afternoon after
school. I am so happy with what
Vinol did for my little boy, that I
want every mother to know about it."
—Mrs. C. R. Applegate, Dayton,
Ohio.

This delicious cod liver and iron
preparation without oil is a wonder-
ful body builder and strength creat-
or for both young and old. We prom-
ise to give back your money in any
such case where Vinol does not bene-
fit. This shows our faith in Vinol.
Lee P. Allcott, Druggist, Jack-
sonville, Ill.

P. S.—For children's Eczema, Saxo
Salve is guaranteed truly wonderful.
—Adv.

GOTHAM HAS NEW MAYOR.
New York, Jan. 1.—John Purroy
Mitchel was installed as mayor of
New York today. Coincidentally the
other newly elected officers of the
greater city and its boroughs offici-
ally assumed their duties. The ce-
remonies were of the simplest char-
acter. Nevertheless there was a
large throng to see "the man who
had downed Tammany" sworn into
the office of mayor.

With the assumption of office by
Mayor Mitchel, a new regime in city
governmental affairs was inaugu-
rated. Mayor Mitchel was nominated
and elected by the fusion opposition
to Tammany, while practically all
the other city officials, the New
York county officers and the presi-
dents of the several boroughs are
men who are opposed to Tammany.
Thus for the first time in years, to-
day saw the chief officers of the
municipality filled with men not al-
lied with the Democratic organiza-
tion, which has so long exercised a
controlling influence in municipal af-
fairs.

CONCORD.
Miss Emily Jane Allan of Riggs-
ton, and Wm. A. Fay of Jacksonville
were in Concord Friday and Satur-
day between trains.

December 23rd, being the 80th
birthday of the venerable Lewis
Yeck, his children, grandchildren
and great grandchildren repaired to
his commodious home about 11 a.
m. with well filled hamper, con-
taining all the delectable viands
skillfully prepared by the culinary
artists in this company. The self in-
vited guests were John P. Yeck and
family, Harry Yeck and family, Mrs.
Charles Yeck and family, A. C. Val-
entine and family, Mrs. Mollie Bay-
less and family, George Johnson and
family, and William Stauff, all of
Concord and vicinity; Homer Yeck
and family, also Mrs. Edmundson
of Browning; Glenn Yeck of Bright-
on, Mrs. Rose Clark and son of
Chapin, Miss Iva Seymour of Jack-
sonville, Had Glenn Yeck's family
been present there would have been
50 in the company. The occasion
was one of great pleasure to each
one there, especially to the host and
his good wife, who appreciated to
the fullest the honor accorded them
by the assemblage. The guests re-
solutely departed for their respec-
tive homes about 6 p. m.

Dr. J. W. Hairgrove of Jack-
sonville was in Concord Saturday.

The contest at the M. E. Sunday
school closed Sunday with the Reds,
the men's side, victorious, as they
are entitled to the banquet after the
revival services, which begin next
Saturday evening here, close.

Mrs. May Ream Wooster of Savan-
nah, Ill., is visiting her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Oscar Reams.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Boyd and
Helen, son of Waverly visited Mrs.
Boyd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas.
A. Moss during the Christmas festi-
vities.

Frank H. Caldwell of Jacksonville
visited the Caldwell family the last
of the week.

Miss Ona Blimling of the J. B. C.,
spent her Christmas holidays at
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clements are
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Sidney Smith, here, and the stork
visited them Monday at 5 a. m.,
leaving a little son.

Matthew Dart and wife of Beards-
town visited Mr. and Mrs. Alva Rex-
ford during the holidays.

Mrs. Mary Gaddis and daughter,
Miss Eva, entertained Mr. and Mrs.
George Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. George
Blimling and daughters, Ina and
Ona, Messrs. Monroe and Perry
Leonard at dinner Christmas day, in
a royal manner.

Miss Mary Higgins of Winchester
and Mrs. Julia Kinslow of Bluffs
were in Concord Monday, going to
Jacksonville.

Miss Lucille North of Winchester
was in Concord on the way to Jack-
sonville for a visit.

Willie Berryman of Jacksonville
and Wayne and Winona Hill of Win-
chester have been visiting at the
home of their grandmother, Mrs.
Sarah Hill.

Miss Lucille Olinger attended the
St. Louis Symphony orchestra con-
cert Monday evening.

Miss Ina Berryman of Jacksonville
came up Tuesday to visit relatives
and friends.

Miss Bertha Austin of Harmon's
clerkal force spent Christmas with
home folks.

Hal Fields, who is working at
Cook's came home for the holidays.

Mrs. Lulu Reinisch and daughter,
Lucile of Jacksonville are spending
a few days with relatives here.

Charles Cugnas has gone to De-
catur to visit relatives.

Miss Madge Gillon who has been
traveling in the west since Septem-
ber came home last week for a visit
with her parents.

Mrs. H. Cullom and children are
spending the holidays with Decatur
relatives.

Miss Ona Perkins who teaches
at Concord is home for a week's
vacation.

Little Miss Eleanor Luttrell is
visiting relatives in Jacksonville.

TO RE-ORGANIZE TEAM.
Harry Frye will go to Pleasant
Hill today to reorganize the high
school basketball team. He goes on
the invitation of the principal of
the high school who sent to Jack-
sonville for someone who understood
the game to see that the men occu-
pied the correct positions.

**FALLING HAIR MEANS
DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE**

Save your Hair! Get a 25 cent bottle
of Danderine right now—Also
stops itching scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scrag-
gy hair is mute evidence of a neg-
lected scalp; of dandruff—that aw-
ful scour.

There is nothing so destructive to
the hair as dandruff. It robs the
hair of its lustre, its strength and its
very life; eventually producing a
feverishness and itching of the scalp,
which if not remedied causes the
hair roots to shrink, loosen and die
—then the hair falls out fast.

Little Danderine tonight—now—
any time will surely save your hair.
Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's
Danderine from any drug store or
toll-free counter, and after the first ap-
plication your hair will take on that
life, lustre and luxuriance which is
so beautiful. It will become wavy
and fluffy and have the appearance
of abundance; an incomparable
gloss and softness, but what will
please you most will be after just a
few weeks' use, when you will actu-
ally see a lot of fine, downy hair—
new hair—growing all over the
scalp

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To Our Customers and Friends.

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Diamond watches, rings and bracelets, etc., from New York broker.

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ILLINOIS PHONE 165.

HEAVY PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF GAME LAW

New York Concern Required to Pay a Fine of \$20,000—Sold Ducks Illegally.

The largest penalty for the violation of a game law ever collected has just been paid by the Franco-American Poultry company of New York City, to the New York conservation commission. The amount is \$20,000. This company is the largest dealer in game in the United States and probably in the world, and they import most of the game that comes into this country from Europe.

The New York commission is being congratulated on what sportsmen throughout the country consider an excellent piece of work. It is the general opinion among those interested in wild life conservation that this case will make more effective than ever the enforcement of the laws prohibiting the sale of game.

The original information regarding this case was obtained by the United States bureau of biological survey, and important aid in working it up was furnished by the American Game Protective association, the national league of the sportsmen of the United States. This is one of a large number of cases in which this association, through its special agents, has brought to earth violators of the game law.

Upon investigating the case, it was found that the company, under the guise of conducting a farm for the breeding of wild ducks, was importing native wild ducks from Virginia contrary to the law. It was definitely shown that they were not legitimately engaged in the breeding of ducks, but were using this farm for a blind. Wild ducks which had been captured in nets were brought in Virginia in large quantities and brought to the Silz farm at Goshen, N. Y., where they were immediately killed and put upon the market. In some instances, these birds had not been taken to the breeding farm at all.

New York has to its credit also the largest previous fine ever collected for the violation of a game law, the amount being \$14,000, secured as a penalty from dealers who stored game illegally in New York city in 1909.

SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

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MI-O-NA Will Put Your Sour, Gassy, Upset Stomach in Order—Try One Does and Prove It.

If you are a stomach sufferer, do not despair. Immediate, safe and sure relief is at hand. MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets, sold in fifty cent boxes at all drug stores, are a specific for out-of-order stomachs.

MI-O-NA is not only a quick digestive, but a stimulant and strengthener of the stomach walls. It increases the flow of digestive fluids, soothes the irritated membrane, and puts the stomach in shape to do the work nature intended.

If suffering with indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis, or any of the various forms of stomach misery, usually indicated by nervousness, distress after eating, headache, dizziness, bad breath or sour stomach, do not wait to suffer any longer—take MI-O-NA today.

Money back if not satisfied. Drugist everywhere.

BREAKS A COLD IN**A FEW HOURS—PAPE'S**

First Dose of Pape's Cold Compound Relieves All the Grippe Misery—Contains No Quinine.

Don't stay puffed up!

Quit blowing and snuffing! A dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" taken every two hours until three doses are taken will end grippe misery and break up a severe cold either in the head, chest, body or limbs.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only 25 cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Don't accept a substitute.—Adv.

IF HEADACHY, DIZZY,**BILIOUS,—"CASCARETS"**

Your Liver is Full of Bile; Bowels Clogged, Stomach Sour, Tongue Coated, Breath Bad.

Get a 10-cent box now.

You're bilious! You have a throbbing sensation in your head, a bad taste in your mouth, your eyes burn, your skin is yellow, with dark rings under your eyes; your lips are parched. No wonder you feel ugly, mean and ill-tempered. Your system is full of bile not properly passed off, and what you need is a cleaning up inside. Don't continue being a bilious nuisance to yourself and those who love you, and don't resort to harsh physics that irritate and injure. Remember that most disorders of the stomach, liver and bowels are cured by morning with gentle thorough Cascarets—they work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your drugist will keep your liver and bowels clean; stomach sweet, and your head clear for months. Children love to take Cascarets, because they taste good and never gripe or sicken.—Adv.

OLD DIRECTORY SHOWS NAMES PROMINENT THROUGH YEARS

Publication Issues in 1871 Now Emphasizes the Changes in Residents and Business Houses Which Have Been Made Since That Date.

Of great interest to all and particularly to elderly citizens are the directories issued years ago. One which was published in 1871 contains much that brings to mind the past most vividly and takes one back to those days at once. Mayor Davis has a copy of the publication which he values highly.

A prominent dealer in agricultural implements was W. H. Broadwell on South Main street and he then claimed to be the oldest resident native of Morgan county. He was a man of great honor and integrity, was sheriff one term and held other important offices.

Nearly two pages are devoted to the Young Ladies' Athenaeum which was then a flourishing school with a wide reputation while the Jacksonville Female Academy and the Illinois Female College all offered superior inducements to young ladies seeking knowledge and Illinois College then as now was the place for young men though then for young men only.

Dr. Milligan, John N. Marsh, E. M. Sanford and Elizer Wolcott composed the board of education and J. M. Olcott was superintendent of schools. The principals were, of the high school, J. M. Olcott with Misses H. Taby, M. J. Oburn and Emily Adams assistants. Before the end of the year Miss Helen M. Storrs, sister of Prof. H. E. Storrs of Illinois College, was added to the faculty. Of the wards, W. C. Catherwood was at the first, Miss Mary A. Selby, the second; George C. Manning, third and Miss S. C. Wright, fourth. The colored people had a separate school then and Mrs. J. C. Malone was principal with Miss H. M. Ruthford, assistant. Some of the teachers of those days were Mrs. J. Morris, daughter of Dr. English, Misses Jennie and M. E. King, Miss Lucy D. Wood, Miss Sue F. Ellis, Miss Anna Rawlings, Mrs. Ellen Ramsey, Miss Mattie Fisher.

The mayor was Wm. Ratekin, A. N. McDonald, city clerk; Matt Stacy treasurer; Oscar A. DeLew, city attorney; Wm. Needham, city marshal; Prof. D. C. Scranton, surveyor; Alex. Boudard, street commissioner; Richard O'Connell, City prison. The aldermen of the several wards were F. F. Semalz, R. M. Gregory; Joseph Capps and Jonathan Neely; James Montgomery and Dr. C. K. Sawyer.

County officers were Benjamin Pyatt, sheriff; George W. Fanning, assessor and treasurer; George W. Clark, circuit clerk; Sam'l M. Martin, county clerk; C. C. Robbins, surveyor.

Among the secret societies "Hospitable" Commandery, Knights temple is mentioned, C. M. Morse, Eminent Commander. At that time we had a county fair and of the association Judge Samuel Wood was president with Wm. Richardson and J. T. Newman, vice presidents; S. R. King, sec'y., and F. G. Farrell, treasurer. Capt. W. H. Harrison was commander of the Zouaves and F. C. Taylor recording and corresponding secretary. The Turn Verein then flourished on North Main street and Philp Braun was its president. Adolph Miller, vice president and Louis Leurig treasurer.

Chghin & Glover then published the Journal with George N. Loomis, city editor and Harry Mitchell, bookkeeper. J. R. Bailey was publisher, editor and proprietor of the Sentinel and H. B. Funk of the Independent which was printed by J. J. Ironmonger.

The business advertisements bring to mind many well known names. John W. Hall was blacksmith and dealer in agricultural implements, wagons and buggies. Matt Stacy was the oldest insurance agent in the county and represented the old, reliable Aetna and other companies. C. E. Ross was in the same line of business; other dealers were Elias Keemer, carriages, buggies and blacksmith shop; Rockwell and Adams, successors to Day to and Adams, drugs and hardware; Talma Smith carried on a first class shoe shop in a basement opposite the Masonic temple; Fitzsimmons & Cassell were leading grocers, where Frost & Nolley are now; Irving & Graham were builders and contractors; Brown & Hall, east side, grocers; George W. Fox had a tin shop as had Nichols, Brennan & Co., B. Pyatt & Son sold cigars and tobacco; Mathers & Wadsworth, hardware; Grassly & Co., groceries, wholesale and retail; E. McLaffin was proprietor of the Dunlap House, Smith Laorders & Co. dry goods; D. W. Fairbank, later Fairbank and Wood, agricultural implements; Robert Mason was a veteran jeweler while Day & Stebbins were in the same line; Gurley, Hayner & Co., handled hides, leather etc.; Jos. Capps & Sons were then as now proprietors of the woolen mills; Henry McDonnell dealt in wall paper; H. Brune in groceries; John Fidler, rough and ready Englishmen, foundry and machine shop; Vinyard, Warnock & Fell had a first goods store where is now the plant establishment of French & Son, late W. T. Brown, Conover & Dunlap had a hardware store where now are Lukeman Brothers, clothiers; Wm. Branson was a veteran furniture dealer while Johnson & Glover sold stoves and furniture; Chambers & Brother, were leading grocers and John Carter was a dealer in drugs and hardware; W. B. (Burch) Rapp had succeeded his father, M. Rapp, in the harness business and was located in the building now occupied by Lee Allcott; W. Catlin & Co., sold books and stationery and Charles M. Eames did likewise; Ward Brothers were booksellers and stationers while M. and J. Walsh conducted an emporium of fashion; Harry Huntsinger succeeded E. M. Sanford as dealer in marble monuments; on South Main street S. M. Graves had a machine shop; T. N. Jewsbury sold harness and saddles.

and Dr. Joseph Hobson removed corns; Conrad Hofmann sold cigars and tobacco on the east side of the square and L. D. Partridge conducted the Chicago tonsorial establishment, otherwise a barber shop though later on drink got away with him; G. and W. Tendick sold boots and shoes and were agents for the Weed sewing machine; Prof. J. B. Turner conducted a nursery and for a long time sold hedge plants as his chief industry.

At one time the writer was at the professor's house when the old gentleman said: "Let me prove to you that I am the strongest man in the country. Thirty years ago I carried that tree in one hand from the woods and set it out, can any man carry it back?"

A. W. Cadman had a picture gallery. Widmayer succeeded Dick Dine in the north side restaurant; John Devlin sold groceries; Elijah Cobb conducted the hotel on west College avenue; Myers & Knollenberg sold cigars and tobacco; Washington Allen, grocer; Buell & Schermhorn, soda manufactory; J. S. & G. S. Russell, lumber.

One leading citizen of that day was Jos. O. King, absolute father of the water works and recuer of the gas works from destruction and decay.

Dr. David Prince was a man who did great things for the city and was one of its best citizens. In the college were Dr. Sturtevant, Profs. Crampton and Tanner and Dr. Adams, men rarely equaled; Drs. M. M. Reed, Henry, H. K. & C. George Jones; Prof. Sanders, founder of the Athenaeum and conservatory. Among the lawyers were Barnes & Leach, Judge Berdan, Brown & Epler, General Case, Cassell & Smith, O. A. DeLew, Judge Dummer, Kellogg & Metcalf, I. J. Ketcham, Edward P. Kirby, McClure & Stryker, J. T. McMillan, Sanford & Dunn, J. T. Springer, T. G. Taylor. In the list of physicians the names of Dr. T. J. Pitner, then a rising young practitioner was omitted, also Dr. J. R. Askew, J. W. Craig and some others. Many other things are suggested by the old book but enough has been written for this time.

NEW RAILROAD HEAD IN OFFICE

New York, Jan. 1.—A. H. Smith today entered upon the duties of his new office as resident of the New York Central lines. Mr. Smith is the former senior vice president of the lines. He was appointed president to succeed William C. Brown, who resigned from the office on November 18.

QUICK RELIEF

FOR RHEUMATISM. George W. Koon, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by L. P. Allcott, druggist.—Adv.

HOLIDAY PARTY.

Pasadena News: A very enjoyable Christmas eve was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Elliott at their home on Washington street. Twenty or thirty guests were present, among them being Mrs. J. Weir Elliott and daughter, Miss Ruth, of the Byron apartments, Los Angeles; Miss Rose Elliott, of Indianapolis, who is on her way to join her brother, who is engaged in missionary work in China; Mrs. Lou Oney, Mrs. Palmer and three daughters of Jacksonville, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. William Penrose and Messrs. Oliver and Ralph Penrose and others.

The house was prettily decorated with holly and mistletoe and the guests from the east were especially delighted at being able to pick roses on Christmas eve for decorations. After the usual Christmas dinner, the tree was lit and then to the surprise and pleasure of all—especially the children—in walked old Santa Claus himself, who distributed the presents from the tree with many entertaining little remarks sandwiched in between. Little Weir, who is three years old, took especial delight in escorting old Santa around, and his doubts as to his existence will be settled for a good many years. After the candles were put out the lights were turned on and the rugs taken up for dancing. Music was furnished by the violin, and piano and after a few of the popular dances, young and old joined in the Virginia reel. It was truly a children's Christmas eve, although enjoyed by the older ones as well.

MISS HALDEMANN WEDS

IN LONDON. London, Jan. 1.—Many persons prominent in the Anglo-American social circles attended the wedding of Miss Charlotte Haldemann and Lieut. Victor Marryat of the royal navy, which took place today at St. Margaret's, Westminster. The bride is the daughter of D. C. Haldemann, former president of the American society in London.

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Make the good resolution now. No where can you find its action quicker and results more satisfactory than in the purchase of that suit or overcoat from us at this time, while we are making such really splendid offers in high grade Tailored to measure clothing. It's cheaper, and always better, than ready made.

Cold weather regulates the demand for winter clothing—the demand regulates the price. The total absence of winter weather has forced our hand. It's your opportunity. Will you take it now? You have read of our sale recently and know all about us. It's unnecessary at this time to say more.

We have enjoyed a splendid business and are happy because of the confidence it shows the people have in us. And wishing you all the compliments of the season, we also extend the wish that we may be made your permanent tailor, because we know we shall please you and save you money.

Start the New Year Right by the Practice of Economy--and let us help

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The Shop of Quality and Reasonable Prices

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Just in Time to Buy Your Presents?

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Join NOW by making the first weekly payment. If you can't come, send it by mail or get some one to bring it for you.

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Dandruff is primarily a germ disease which if allowed to continue will ultimately destroy your hair. Kill the dandruff germs. Invigorate the scalp and give your hair greater vitality by using

Hirsutone Hair Tonic

Makes the hair grow luxuriantly. Imparts new life and vitality.

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THE QUALITY STORE.
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A Hard Winter is Predicted.

Coal will be Higher

So why not buy now? We sell the best furnace and stove coal obtainable. A free burning and strong heating coal. Arrange for your winter supply now.

Snyder Ice & Fuel Co.

Phones 204

NEW YEAR'S PARTY.

Chapin S. S. Class Spends Pleasant Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holliday opened their pleasant home for a watch party given by the members of the Willing Workers Sunday School class of the Chapin Christian church on Wednesday night.

The evening was spent in music and in playing various games. A feature was a program consisting of duet, solos and recitations carried out by some of those who responded to their part without any preparation. This was very amusing.

Those present were Miss Caroline Johnson, teacher of the class, and Misses Ruth Funk, Adelia Hamilton, Maud, Edith and Ilga White, Ethel Austin, Ruth Senteney, Myra Anderson, Mary Owens, Elsie, Ruth, Margaret and Esther Moody, Pearl Nash, May Riggs, Bertha Williams, Verna Lewis, Jesse Mangrum and Edna Hatches and Mrs. Ray Bridgman and Mrs. Clyde Williams. The young men present were Charles and Frank Holliday, Harry and Robert Senteney, Earl Cowdin, Clyde and Wilbur Williams, Ray Bridgman, Fred Nergewaw, Frank Brockhouse, Allen Taylor, Luther Brockhouse, Harvey Thompson and Clyde Owens.

Refreshments of coffee, marguerites and marshmallows were served. Shortly after midnight the guests departed having much enjoyed the last few hours of the old year.

The New Year was opened by going out serenading.

The Willing Workers felt grateful towards Mr. and Mrs. Holliday for their hospitality shown them. May the New Year fold its mantle of goodness about each one present and in each new day bring some added joy.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

The funeral of Arthur Weeks, will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 422 Jordan street. Interment will be made in Jacksonville cemetery.

The funeral of Lawrence Fanning, who was accidentally killed at Gillespie, Ill., will be held from the home of his mother, Mrs. Wilson Whitlock, southeast of Murrayville, this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Young Blood cemetery.

SHIP MULES TO ST. LOUIS.

William Young and Harry Norris shipped two car loads of fine mules to the St. Louis Market.

READ THIS

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder trouble, removes gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for Illinois testimonials. Dr. W. E. Hall, 1925 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

MATRIMONIAL

Ensmaker-Smith.

Relatives in the city have received word of the marriage of Miss Ada Smith and Glenn Ensmaker, which took place Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Smith at Bronson, Kansas. The Smith family formerly resided in Jacksonville will be remembered by many.

Peters-Willmuth.

The marriage of James H. Peters of Carlyle and Miss Eva Willmuth of Keyport, took place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Judge E. Brockhouse officiating. The bride has been employed at the Pacific hotel and the groom is a brakeman on the C. B. & Q. railroad. After the first of February they expect to make their home in Beardstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Neiman and Albert Weeks of Arenville are here to attend the funeral of Arthur Weeks.

Walton-Breedan.

The marriage of Ezra A. Walton of Pearl, and Miss Gertrude Breedan of Brownsville, took place recently in Virginia. Judge Martin officiating. The groom is a farmer and they will reside near Pearl.

Winey-Walter.

The marriage of Fred E. Winey of Charlotte, Iowa, and Miss Luella Walter of New Berlin took place recently in Springfield. Both young people have been attending school in Dixon, Ill., and came to Springfield to be married. The ceremony was said by Rev. J. Lemmon at the home of John Constant.

Taylor-Theivaght.

The marriage of Robert T. Taylor and Miss Wilhelmina Theivaght took place Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's father, William Theivaght, near Virginia. The ceremony was witnessed by three hundred relatives and friends, Rev. Geo. Clarke of Alton officiating. The attendants were Clarence Parks of New Berlin, Archie Dunn, the Misses Grace and Louise Theivaght, with the little Misses Margaret and Christine Taylor as flower girls. The bride is most favorably known in Jacksonville, where she has often visited and has many friends.

Wolke-Angel.

The marriage of Lee Wolke and Miss Lillian Angel was solemnized Thursday evening at 8 p. m. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Angel. Only immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present to witness the ceremony which was said by the Rev. Walter E. Spooner, pastor of Northminster church. The house was decorated in keeping with the Christmas season and the ceremony was a pretty one, though simple. The bride wore a gown of white silk messaline and chiffon veil. The bridesmaid wore a gown of blue silk.

The wedding march was played by Miss Mary Wolke, a sister of the groom and the young couple were attended by Charles Wolke, brother of the groom and Miss Adeline McLaughlin of Bluffs. An excellent supper was served by Mrs. Newton Angel at which was cut a large wedding cake, baked by Miss Mary Wolke. Both bride and groom are popular young people with a large number of friends who will extend their congratulations. As stated above, the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Angel. The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolke and was reared and educated in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolke will be at home to their friends at 847 Duolin avenue.

THE OPEN DOOR POLICY

Is for the FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY. Its officers' rooms, just inside the entrance, have no doors. Just open hospitality. COME IN.

FIELD SECRETARY RESIGNS

Rev. J. Fred Jones who has been field secretary for the past 18 years of the Illinois Christian Missionary society, has resigned and he has accepted a similar position with the state board of North Carolina, with headquarters at Wilson, N. C.

THE BIRTH RECORD.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wheeler, at 1156 W. Lafayette avenue, on Thursday, a daughter, Rhoda Bernice. This is the second New Year's day baby in two years in the family.

"Y" BASKETBALL TEAM TO PLAY "SPEED BOYS"

Local Quintet Will Have Game Saturday Night at Springfield Against Strong Aggregation.

A big basketball game is scheduled in Springfield for Saturday night when the local "Y" team plays the Springfield "Y," known as the Speed Boys. And they are some Speed Boys too, for last year they cleaned up everything on the schedule and expect to start out the new year with a clean slate.

Just what Jacksonville will do is problematic. They had a hard work out last night and expect to do some strenuous work before the contest. The team is lighter this year than for some time averaging only 133 pounds. But what they lack in weight they expect to make up in speed.

The local men are expecting to see in the Springfield line-up two star men of the S. H. S., who are now students of Millikin university, but are home for the holidays. They are Catlin, guard, and Acker, for ward.

Jacksonville's lineup will be: Frye (capt.), left forward; Fuller (manager), right forward; Capps, center; D. Boxell, J. Seize and Maddox, guards. Osborne will go along to act as one of the officials.

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SUMMARY OF

DECEMBER WEATHER
Mean temperature 37.5 degrees, which was 6.7 degrees above normal; highest temperature of the month was 59 degrees on 6th and 14th. Lowest temperature was 18 degrees on 29th. Total precipitation 0.65 inches, or 1.21 inches below normal. No. of days on which .01 inch or more precipitation fell—7. Number of clear days—9. Part cloudy—2. Cloudy 20. Total snowfall unmelted 2.5 inches.

ANNUAL SUMMARY 1913.
Mean temperature 54.7 degrees and was 1.6 degrees above normal. Total precipitation, rain and melted snow, 30.55 inches—3.7 inches below normal. Total snowfall, unmelted, 20.9 inches. Total number of days on which .01 inch or more precipitation fell 103, clear days, 123, part cloudy 109, cloudy 133.
Geo. H. Hall,
Observer.
Alexander, Ill., Jan. 1, 1914.

NEW WORKMEN'S ACT

IN CALIFORNIA.
San Francisco, Jan. 1.—Some radical changes in industrial conditions in California are brought about by the workmen's compensation act which became operative today. The act applies to all employers, except agriculturists, horticulturists and victuallists, stock raisers, poultry and dairymen and employers of domestic servants. In the future the only recourse for damages for injuries for an employee will be through the compensation act, unless gross personal negligence by an employer can be proved. Under the provisions of the act the employer must pay for all medical care for the first 90 days following the accident. For the first two weeks an injured employee shall receive nothing except medical attention. After that time he shall be entitled to 65 per cent of his wages during the time of disability. If an employee is killed those dependent upon him shall receive three times his annual average wages. The employer is given the privilege of insuring with the state, taking out insurance with an indemnity company for his employees or maintaining his own insurance fund.

PUTTING THORNS IN

CUPID'S PATH.
Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 1.—Wisconsin's much discussed marriage law went into effect today. The law prohibits county clerks from issuing marriage licenses until the groom has presented a physician's certificate showing him to be physically fit for the state of matrimony. Heavy penalties are prescribed for violation of the law. A wide variety of opinion exists as to the constitutionality and the probable results of the new law, but it is generally agreed that it is likely to be defeated in its main objects. Already the physicians in Milwaukee and other cities have announced that they will not conduct physical examinations of prospective bridegrooms for \$3, which is the fee prescribed by the law. On the other hand, if the examinations are left to county physicians the latter are likely to be so overwhelmed with work that great delay attendant upon all applications for marriage licenses will result. It is considered probable that these conflicting conditions will give rise to a suit in which the courts will pass upon the law.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of James W. Waller, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Jas. W. Waller, late of the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice they they will appear before the county court of Morgan county, at the court house in Jacksonville, at the February term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.
All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 17th day of December, A. D. 1913.
John H. Waller,
Mary A. Grassly,
Executors.

WE are largely what we are because of the loyal support of our many friends and trust that in the future we may receive, as we shall endeavor to deserve, a continuance of this spirit of friendship, loyalty and co-operation.

At this time therefore, we desire to extend appreciative thanks and most cordial greetings to all of our friends.

May the coming year hold for you only happiness, peace and prosperity.

MONTGOMERY & DEPPE

WOMEN ONLY

Why not put that gold coin you received for Christmas into a useful and lasting article of Furniture, or a Carpet Sweeper, or Vacuum Cleaner.

For the coming week we will sell any woman mentioning this advertisement an \$8.50 E-Z Vacuum Cleaner for **\$7.50**



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We have concluded to continue the club plan so that you can take advantage of the same.

Pay \$1.00 Now

from your Christmas money and \$1 a week that you can easily save from your weekly allowance and be independent for once.

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S. & H. Green Trading Stamps With Cash Purchases.

All That's Left of Christmas
Goods Must Go.

We put a price on them that says Goodbye.

One-Third Off

On Leather Novelties, Ivoroid Goods, Writing Paper, Calendars and other Fancy Things for Gifts. We never carry over goods from one season to another.

If you want to spend your Christmas money to advantage, come to the

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East Side Square

Great Annual Clearance Sale is now at its best. Good staple merchandise, such as is needed every day, is now reduced in price so low that your dollar will be able to do double duty.

\$1.50 dress goods now.....	\$1.19	\$1.00 ladies' all wool union suits.....	80c
\$1.00 dress goods now.....	85c	50c ladies' all wool union suits.....	40c
75c to 50c dress goods now.....	40c	\$1.00 72 in. full blechd. table linen...	80c
\$1.50 ladies' all-wool union suits.....	1.19	50c heavy unbleached table linen...	40c

Ladies' suits, in two lots, \$12.50 and \$15.00 worth double. You should see these suits.

One-half Price on Coats—Latest style and fabric winter coats, for lady, miss or child, at just one-half now.

33 1/3 per cent off on ladies' and children's Sweaters.

80c for women's house Dresses worth \$1.00 to \$1.25.

Muslin, bleached and unbleached Sheeting, Pillow Case and yard wide, at making price during this sale.

10c for new spring Dress Gingham, worth 12 1/2c.

One half price on Millinery. Trimmed Hats, Feathers, Flowers, Shapes, etc., at one-half price now.

ALWAYS CASH—FLORETH CO.

To all our friends and
patrons we extend the
compliments of
the season

Hopper & Son

Every account on our books is now due. We
solicit a prompt settlement of the same.

REBELS STILL CONTINUE DETERMINED ASSAULT ON FEDERALS AT OJINAGA

(Continued from page one)

American cavalrymen to handle the retreating army was based on the assumption that the constitutionalists would not attempt to pursue the federals beyond the international boundary.

"I expect at any time during the night that the greater part of the federal army, possibly two or more thousand may be forced across the river. I have made arrangements to disarm and hold them if this takes place," was the message which Major McNamee sent out today. The major's reference to "two or more thousand" implied a loss in dead or wounded of the rest of the 4,000. So far Major McNamee has adhered to a policy of sending back all of the unwounded combatants. Should all of the federals come across they would be disarmed and permitted to remain on this side, on grounds of humanity after they had been placed under temporary arrest. The later disposition of the prisoners would be in the hands of higher army authorities.

The inclination of the deserters to carry their guns to this side with them was the cause of some uneasiness in view of the expected arrival of so many foreign soldiers at a point where the United States border patrol is not numerous. It was hoped the federals, if they came, would cross without any unexpected incident and that the rebels would not pursue them.

Protest Against Being Returned.

The protest of the unwounded federals against being forced back into Mexico disarmed was pitiable. Usually when the United States troops seized their arms and sent them back there was a jargon of excited Spanish. It was the fact that there were so many federal deserters, as much as the progress of the rebel fighting that convinced Major McNamee early in the day that the retreat to the United States of the entire federal army was inevitable.

General Ortega's troops were supposed to number 1 in the neighborhood of 6,000 when the fight commenced while the federals were believed to have about 4,000 men. The latter however, had the advantage of position and were expected to afford strenuous resistance. That they have done this is evidenced by the fact that after three days and nights of fighting the rebels are but little nearer their ultimate goal than they were when the first volleys were fired.

Whether the attacking forces are aware of the disorganization on the knob within the adobe wall is not known, but manifestly there is no apparent inclination on the part of General Ortega's men to lessen the vigor of the attack.

During the day several hundred women and children came across the river. This gave rise to the query

on this side as to what must be the conditions among the remaining civilians in Ojinaga. Certain it is that there is not a spot in the doomed town which is safe from bullets and bursting shells.

The food supply of the federals also is believed to be inadequate and certainly there is no water for drinking purposes other than the tepid, muddy water of the Rio Grande, which must be carried up a hill in the face of a raking fire and across a flat, marshy stretch of a mile before the trenches can be reached.

At one time today shells dropped near the water's edge, close to the boundary line. A warning was immediately sent to General Ortega by the American officer in command of the patrol. There after no more shells were fired in that direction.

Believe Troopers Competent.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Full confidence in the ability of the five hundred American troopers at Presidio to deal with the situation there was expressed tonight by officials of the war department. It was stated that no special orders had gone from Washington, the department deeming it unnecessary to interfere with the plans of Brigadier General Bliss, commanding the forces along the border. If the Mexican federals seek safety on American soil they will be disarmed and held as refugees. No fighting will be tolerated on the American side of the line and should the rebels follow the fugitives across they would be given the same treatment accorded the federals. Officials here are satisfied, however, that the chase would end at the border.

Madero Enters Protest.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 1.—Raoul Madero, brother of the late president of Mexico, on behalf of General Villa today called on United States army officials here to inquire why the federals at Ojinaga were forced back to the Mexican side. Mr. Madero said the rebels were inclined to feel that this action was advantageous to the federal army.

He was told that once the federals were disarmed before they were sent back by the American troops their usefulness as fighters was destroyed and that the United States would treat all combatants alike. Soldiers from each side would be allowed to remain on United States soil provided they sought asylum on the ground of their lives were in danger. Should the entire force of federals cross the border, Mr. Madero was informed, they would be permitted to remain under arrest if they claimed their lives were endangered.

MONTREAL HAS BAD FIRE.

Montreal, Jan. 1.—Fire today in the section of the city suffering from a water famine because of a broken supply main caused damage estimated at \$100,000.

The firemen were compelled to stretch lines of hose almost a mile to get water with which to fight the flames. Snow from the streets was used with some effect.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT PALMER CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Were Married at Abingdon, Jan. 1, 1864—Dinner and Family Reunion Thursday at Home on South West Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Palmer celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Thursday at their residence 1516 South West street. Mr. Robert Palmer and Miss Jennie Burr were married in Abingdon, Ill., Jan. 1, 1864, going thence to Fulton county and then to Jacksonville, where they have resided for the past forty-five years. Both are substantial citizens of the community with a large number of friends who extend them congratulations on the attainment of their fiftieth year of wedded life. The occasion Thursday was a very enjoyable one. A delicious dinner was served at noon after which the guests enjoyed a pleasant afternoon of social converse and reminiscence. Among the relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willard, and children of Perry, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Jones and daughter of South Main street.

Mr. Palmer was born Oct. 30, 1835 in Rockingham county, Virginia, the son of James Q. and Mary Rutledge Palmer. His parents removed to Fulton county, Illinois, when he was small and there it was that he was reared and educated. Mrs. Palmer was born Jan. 28, 1846, in Cuba, Ill. Mr. Palmer has been in business in the city for many years, first in the butcher firm of Palmer and Leck and then in marble business with a Mr. Huntsinger. His father, James Q. Palmer, had been a resident of Jacksonville several years before Robert Palmer and his wife left Fulton county, residing in the house on East State street occupied of late years by Dr. Carl E. Black as an office.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer had five children and seven grand children. Alice, the oldest, who became the wife of James Stout, removed to Wilson Gap, Tenn., where she died in 1908. Next in age, is Mrs. Jessie Palmer Willard, wife of Harry Willard, M. E. minister at Perry, Pike county. They have two children, Lois Rutledge and William Wayne Willard. One other of the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer has passed away, Mrs. Mabel P. Scott, wife of Charles E. Scott, of Del Norte, Col. She died in 1904, leaving two children, Annie Palmer and Ezra Ellsworth Scott, both of Del Norte, Laura, the wife of Leslie Blackburn, resides in Alamosa, Col. She has two children, Edward and Helen Blackburn. Winnifred, the youngest daughter, resides in Jacksonville. She married Sidney Jones and lives at 1529 South Main, but a short distance from the home of her parents. She has one daughter, Martha Margaret Jones.

WITH THE NEW YEAR

You may contemplate a new banking connection with THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY will welcome your account and invites you to talk with its officers.

FUNERALS

Grassly.

The funeral of Mrs. Della Grassly was held at 2:30 Thursday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. William Luken, 845 South East street, in charge of the Rev. W. L. Dorgan. Those in charge of the flowers were Mrs. Mather, Miss Jennie Grassly and Mrs. Fred Grassly and Miss Carrie Luken. The singers were Miss Mayer and Mrs. Thomas Crawford. Interment was made in East cemetery, the bearers were Fred and Ernest Grassly, Henry Smith, Fred L. Gregory, Fred Moeller and Harry Hofmann.

JOIN THE CHRISTMAS CLUB NOW FORMING THE AVERS NATIONAL BANK

PRODUCE "PARSIFAL" IN PARIS
Paris, Jan. 1.—The first production in Paris of Richard Wagner's music-drama "Parsifal" took place this evening and afternoon at a public dress rehearsal at the opera. It was elaborately staged. The presentation of the work was made possible by the expiration Dec. 31st of the copyright.

RESERVE BANK COMMITTEE PREPARING FOR WESTERN TRIP

Have Procured Latest Type Steel Car For Ten Thousand Mile Trip To Insure Safety of Records and Documents.

Washington, Jan. 1.—Although plans for the long western trip of the reserve bank organization committee have not been completed, some of the preliminary steps taken indicate the undertaking will be unique in the history of the government. The committee expects to have an office on wheels for more than a month and to insure the safety of its records and documents, on the ten thousand mile journey, a steel car of the latest type has been procured.

Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Secretary of Agriculture Houston and the committee will live board the car most of the time for the month; will go over the testimony taken in the twelve western cities they are to visit and keep up with the mass of correspondence which will be forwarded them from Washington.

Each secretary will take his own private secretary with him and besides there will be at least four stenographers, a couple of messengers and possibly a lawyer from the treasury department. This will make a little government army only surpassed in trips of this sort by the "Suite" which accompanies a president of the United States on his travels.

The currency law put \$100,000 at the disposal of the committee in reaching a determination of the boundary lines of reserve districts and in locating reserve cities.

The committee starts out upon its work Monday with hearing in New York. It is not the present intention to make use of the special car on the trip to New York or on the advance to Boston which follows immediately. The offices on wheels will not be occupied until the middle of the month when the committee starts for Chicago and the west.

YOUR BANK

Make THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY Your bank—yours for everything within the limits of safe banking.

FINE NEW YEAR'S GIFT.

Miss Cora Cherry of South Church street received for New Year's the present of a pretty pony trap from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cherry. The trap is an up-to-date vehicle and makes a fine appearance with Miss Cherry's spirited driving pony.

FIRE DESTROYS

Business District.

Didsbury, Alberta, Jan. 1.—Fire of unknown origin today destroyed every building in the business district of this town causing a loss of \$250,000. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

If you have delayed buying your winter overcoat or winter wearables you must have them now--the cold winter blasts make it a necessity for your health and absolute economy. Here's a big showing of splendid warm shawl or ulster collar overcoats at

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Values that you'll be glad to look at



Sweater Coats

Heavy shaker knit for all uses, Byron and shawl collar, all colors. For boys men and women.

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MYERS BROTHERS

In taking account of our assets, as is our custom at the beginning of the New Year, we find and appreciate your confidence and good will.

We hope for a continuance of the friendship which has marked our business relations and wish you a most happy and prosperous 1914.

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